

Toronto Worker Wins \$100,000 Sweepstake

F.B.I. Chief Accuses Reds



J. Edgar Hoover, director of the Federal Bureau of Investigation, points a warning finger as he testifies before the House of Representatives Un-American Committee in Washington that the Communist Party of the U.S. is seeking to overthrow the government and planning to fight alongside Russia in the event of war between the two nations. He did not advocate a ban on the existence of the party, however, but urged other methods to smoke it out.

2 U.S. Battleships, 2 Carriers, Others To Visit N. Europe

WASHINGTON (AP)—The United States navy announced today it will send two new battleships and two new large carriers to northern European waters in June on the first training cruise for U.S. Naval Academy midshipmen since the beginning of the Second World War.

Admiral Richard L. Conolly, commander of U.S. naval forces in the eastern Atlantic and Mediterranean, identified the battleships as the New Jersey and Wisconsin, and the carriers as the Essex class Kearsage and Randolph. They will be accompanied by four destroyers.

Admiral Conolly said the itinerary called for one or more visits to ports in England, Scotland, Norway, Sweden and Denmark.

The squadron will arrive in European waters about June 19, and start back to the United States approximately one month later.

McGeer To Urge Harbor Terminal

VANCOUVER (CP)—Plans for a large transportation terminal on Vancouver's waterfront will be taken before National Harbor Board and railway officials in Ottawa by Mayor G. G. McGeer, he said today.

He hopes a single transportation hub may be built on Burrard Inlet between Cambie and Burrard Streets, through which all air, bus, train and ship passengers would enter and leave Vancouver.

U.N. Secretary Goes Home



While daughter Guri watches, Trygve Lie, Secretary-General of the United Nations, waves farewell at La Guardia Airport, New York City, prior to departure for Oslo, Norway.

Britain Urges War Prisoners Return By 1949

MOSCOW (AP)—Britain proposed tonight to the Soviet Union, France and the United States that all prisoners of war be returned to Germany by the end of 1948.

This action was disclosed as the Foreign Ministers' Council decided to come to grips Monday with the key questions of German economic, military and political problems, in line with U.S. State Secretary Marshall's plan to complete discussion of these matters by Wednesday night.

Britain recommended that France, Russia, Britain and the United States furnish to the Allied Control Council for Germany not later than next June 1, their plans for repatriation of the prisoners, including provisions "whereby such repatriation would be completed by Dec. 31, 1948."

In a one-hour session, the shortest of this conference, the ministers agreed on a schedule for the German discussions and set up a special committee to attempt to draw up a directive on the lesser problems of the report of the Allied Control Council for Germany.

ECONOMIC UNIT

The agreed agenda for Monday, summing up three weeks of proposals made thus far, is:

1. Germany as an economic unit, including reparations; plus a review of the levels of industry, including industrial demilitarization.

2. The form and scope of a provisional German government. Meanwhile the deputies of the four-power council approved a report of progress of the Austrian peace treaty which showed that of 55 proposed articles for the treaty, only 24 had been agreed.

The three major open questions on the treaty are the issues of German assets, frontiers, and compensation to United Nations from property losses due to the war.

In the meeting of the deputies on Germany, meanwhile, a spokesman for the small western powers, entitled to reparations from Germany charged the big powers had failed to live up to Potsdam promises on reparations, and had produced only "paltry results" in deliveries from enemy capital equipment to date.

This charge and an appeal to speed up deliveries were made as the ministers themselves prepared to pass on Marshall's proposal that they come to grips at once with the three key issues involved in the restoration of German economic unity.

The whole reparations questions is deeply involved in that question.

APRIL 2 TARGET DATE

It was learned on high authority that Marshall was determined to force an early showdown on the critical German issues, in an effort to discover upon what basis, if any, Russia is willing to make acceptable agreements. That was said to be the

strategy behind Marshall's proposal Friday night to focus discussion in the immediate future upon what he considers the three key problems and to set April 2 as a "target date" for decisions or deadlocks on these questions—German economic unity, provisional government and level of industry and reparations.

LATEST

Calls 5-Day Pause For Mine Disaster

WASHINGTON (AP)—John L. Lewis today called on 400,000 soft-coal miners to quit work from Tuesday, April 1, to Sunday, April 6, in memory of the 111 victims of the Centralia, Ill., disaster.

British Quit Cairo

CAIRO (Reuters)—The Union Jack came down for the last time in Cairo today as British troops evacuated the Kas-el-Nil barracks on the bank of the Nile after 64 years of occupation of the city. British troops left the barracks in mobile columns for the Suez Canal zone.

Riots In Calcutta

CALCUTTA (AP)—Troops helped civil authorities try to restore order here today as Hindu-Muslim violence continued into a fourth day. Police reported 17 incidents and said they had opened fire 28 times and made 43 arrests between 1 and 11 a.m.

Charges Oil Fraud

WASHINGTON (AP)—James A. Moffett today declared oil companies "deliberately defrauded the United States government" in charging the navy \$105 a barrel for Arabian-produced petroleum. He told the Senate war investigating committee the British Admiralty had been buying oil in the Persian Gulf area for less than 40 cents a barrel. He said the U.S. navy should have been able to make purchases at a similar price.

Lake Sailings Delayed

FORT WILLIAM (CP)—Lake-head ports will not be open for navigation until about the end of the third week in April, harbor officials predicted today. The two or three weeks' delay was described as due to heavy ice not only here but also at the eastern end of the Great Lakes.

Says Stalin Near Death Last October

MADRID (AP)—Arriba, newspaper of Spain's totalitarian party, quoted a Dr. Striwhaker today as saying Prime Minister Stalin of Russia almost died last October of a heart ailment.

The article quoted the physician as saying Stalin was gravely ill for four or five days and that only his strong resistance saved his life. Striwhaker was identified as a member of the Stockholm Institute of Cardiology and a member of a Nobel commission.

Quits Labor Post

LONDON (AP)—Deputy Prime Minister Herbert Morrison, convalescing in France after a long illness, has resigned as secretary of the London Labor Party after holding the office 32 years, the party announced today.

Ontario's Roads Clogged By Late Winter Storm



Glencoe was among the Ontario towns which suffered in the latest of a number of blizzards. Cars and trucks were completely buried in 10-foot drifts and the waterworks broke down. Snow engulfed this large truck on a highway and buried the automobile, which John Huiskens off Minnesota had to dig out of the drift.

Yarrows Plant Re-opens Monday, Meetings Called To Vote On Issues

Following a meeting with the A.F.L. Union, the management of Yarrows Ltd. announced late today it would reopen Yard No. 2 on Monday at 8 a.m., which was closed Friday night as the result of a dispute between the A.F. and C.C.L. steel rackers and checkers.

George Wilkinson said the management had agreed to take on all workers who returned to their jobs by noon. He expected no trouble as the result of the action to reopen the yard. Two hundred employees were affected.

A meeting of all shop stewards, representing all shipyard trades, has been called for Sunday at 2 at the Boilermakers' Hall.

T. A. Mitchell, business agent for the C.C.L. Union, made no comment on the company's move, but said a meeting of all union employees had been called for Monday at 10. Members would vote on the issue at the meeting, he said.

The closing down of the yard stopped work on the \$3,000,000 Canadian National steamship and French lighthouse tenders.

Hubert A. Wallace, head of Yarrows Ltd., stated this morning that he hoped for an early settlement as the stoppage of work might seriously delay the construction of vessels.

"Stoppage of work does not give confidence to shipowners in the stability of labor in this district," he said. "It's not good for business."

Business agent T. A. Mitchell for the executive of the Marine Workers', Machinists' and Boilermakers' Industrial Union, Local No. 3, (C.C.L.) stated the "lock-out" had been called to "compel us against our wishes to quit our union and join another organization."

He said eight men of the C.C.L. unions had been told by the management that if they wanted to continue to work in the yard they would have to quit their present union and join the dual A.F.L. union.

Charging the A.F.L. Union with intimidation and "bullying,"

Restrictions On Manufacture Of Ice Cream, Process Cheese Lifted

OTTAWA (CP)—After April 1 anyone can make as much ice cream, sherbet and process cheese as he wishes with the rescinding of three wartime orders of the Dairy Products Board, the Agriculture Department said today.

Rescinding of the orders also will reopen the dairy products manufacturing field to newcomers, who have been restricted from entering this industry for the last three to four years. Although manufacturers will

44-Hour Week Law Applies To Mines, Hotel, Court Finds

The B.C. Court of Appeal has ruled that British Columbia's Hours of Work Act, providing for a 44-hour work week, applies to the Canadian Pacific Railway Company's Empress Hotel here, and mines, quarries and metallurgical works within the meaning of the Metalliferous Mines Regulation Act.

Opinions of the Appeal Court, given over the signature of Chief Justice Gordon McG. Sloan, were released today by Provincial Secretary George S. Pearson.

Both questions had been referred to the Appeal Court by the Lieutenant-Governor-in-Council under the provisions of the Constitutional Questions Determination Act.

Some questions as to whether or not the Hours of Work Act would apply to the Empress Hotel had arisen since railways generally are governed by the laws of the Dominion rather than by provincial statutes.

In the case of the mines it was a question of whether the Hours of Work Act or the Metalliferous Mines Regulation Act applied.

In the opinion for the Empress Hotel Mr. Justice O'Halloran dissented from the majority opinion of Chief Justice Sloan, Mr. Justice Robertson, Mr. Justice Sidney Smith and Mr. Justice Bird.

In the opinion for the mines, the decision of the court was unanimous.

The Hours of Work Act was amended last year to provide for a 44-hour work week in British Columbia.

The court found that provisions of the Hours of Work Act were applicable to employees in mines, quarries and metallurgical works, even if the employees had entered into collective agreement with their employers providing for work in excess of 44 hours per week.

Cambridge Wins Classic Boat Race

LONDON (Reuters)—Cambridge University defeated the heavily-favored Oxford University eight in the boat race today.

Cambridge took the lead at the start and steadily increased its advantage over the 4½-mile Thames River course here.

The winning "Light Blues" passed the finishing line about 10 lengths ahead of Oxford.

Daylight-Saving Time To Continue To Oct. 26

Daylight saving time will be in force in British Columbia from April 27 to Oct. 26.

The order-in-council to provide for setting clocks ahead an hour for the summer months was formally passed Friday.

Canadians Get \$195,112 Total In Irish Draw

By Canadian Press

Russell Long, 38-year-old Toronto truck driver, with the nom de plume "All So Ran," held an Irish Hospital Sweepstakes ticket on Caughoo, winner of the Grand National steeplechase today, and stands to win a prize of £25,000 (\$100,000).

Long was at work when the result was announced. He went home after his wife had called him by telephone.

Another Canadian, with the nom de plume "Bill," held a ticket on the second-place Lough Conn and is in line for a prize of \$40,000.

Two others—with the nom de plumes Cab and Chaser—held tickets on Kami, which ran third. Their probable prize is \$20,000 apiece.

All told, the 46 Canadians whose tickets were drawn earlier in the week won \$195,112, the 42 whose horses failed to place qualifying for minimum prizes of \$336 each. Five others won residual and consolation prizes aggregating \$5,848.

ONLY 8 IDENTIFIED

Only eight of the Canadians whose tickets were drawn at Dublin Monday came forward during the week and identified themselves. None of the eight held the tickets on the first three horses.

The ticket numbers: All So Ran, BE50230; Bill, MV94964; Cab, AL47006; Chaser, BT51469. Canadians usually use nom de plumes in purchasing tickets in the Irish Sweepstakes because of Criminal Code provisions against lotteries.

For one thing, the code provides that all such winnings are "liable to be forfeited to any per-

son who sues for same by action or information in any court of competent jurisdiction," but Justice Department officials said at Ottawa recently they could recall no specific case in Canada where sweepstakes winnings had been confiscated.

Enforcement of the ban on lotteries rests with the provincial attorney-generals. The code provides fines of up to \$2,000 for ticket sellers and up to \$20 for ticket buyers.

NO INCOME TAX

However, any person winning a sweepstakes prize has the consolation that there is no Canadian income tax on the winnings. Such money is regarded as capital gain.

Bad news came for one Canadian—P. A. Cameron of Verdun, a Montreal suburb—shortly before the race began. He held a ticket on Lovely Cottage, the 1946 winner of the Grand National, which was scratched just before the race began. His nom de plume was Red Nose.

No Canadians held Prince Regent, the favorite, which finished fourth in the harrowing grind.

Extra Police On Duty To Ensure Order For Montreal By-Election

MONTREAL (CP)—While a group of labor leaders made public Friday night an appeal to the workers of Cartier not to vote for Communism, the campaigning for Monday's balloting was nearing its climax with almost a dozen political meetings planned for the week-end by the six candidates in the federal by-election.

Deputy Police Director Alfred Belanger said extra police will be on duty Monday to maintain order during the by-election, called to elect a successor to jailed Communist Fred Rose.

More than 300 detectives and constables will be stationed in the district, with scores of radio cars patrolling throughout the day.

"We are not anticipating much trouble," the deputy director said, "but, nevertheless, we are taking our precautions."

The appeal to the workers of the division came in the form of a joint statement by eight Montreal labor leaders which called for the "defeat of Communism" in the by-election, saying its doctrines are opposed to political,

economic and social rights" of the individual.

Three meetings and two radio addresses in favor of five of the six candidates featured Friday night's campaigning.

In a radio address in favor of Maurice Hartt, official Liberal candidate, Defence Minister Claxton called on the electors to support Mr. Hartt as a move against Communism, which he termed the big issue in the election.

"Communists are the same everywhere," said the minister. "They take their orders from Russia. They serve the interests of a foreign power, not their own country."

Speaking at a rally for Paul Masse, Autonomist and Anti-Communist candidate, journalist Paul Bouchard praised Quebec Premier Maurice Duplessis' stand on Dominion-Provincial matters and urged the Cartier electors to send Mr. Masse to Ottawa to help the premier in his defence "of our most sacred rights."

David Rochon, Independent Liberal, charged at a meeting that conditions in Cartier were worse than those accompanying elections in Germany and Poland,

Something New In The Zoo

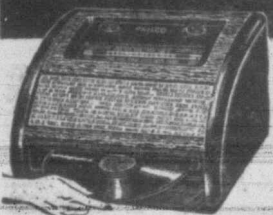


Contrary to polar bear custom—of not bearing young while in captivity—"Snowy" at the Stockholm, Sweden, Zoo, recently gave birth to twins. Youngsters, "Knoll" and "Tott," are in good health and thriving. Here the mamma bear and her two offspring enjoy a meal.

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Band Leader Retires

MONTREAL (CP)—Capt. J. J. Gagnier, 62, of Montreal, has laid aside his baton after 34 years as conductor of one of Canada's best-known military bands, that of the Canadian Grenadier Guards.

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Krupp Wants To Operate Part Of Former Plants

ESSEN, Germany (AP)—A son of armament maker Gustav Krupp von Bohlen und Halbach said today he hoped he would be allowed to carry on with the remnants of the vast industrial empire to help rebuild Germany's peacetime economy.

He is Berthold von Bohlen und Halbach, a young man who has been working as a research chemist at the University of Munich after war service as a lieutenant in the German artillery.

Berthold returned to the family's palatial home, but only for a look. The huge structure, still replete with valuable oil paintings and tapestries, is headquarters of the British-operated North German Coal Control.

He is the only one of the aged and sick steel man's five sons who still is living and free.

Alfred is in prison at Nuernberg, facing a war crimes trial; Harald is a prisoner of war of the Russians, unheard from for a year; Claus was killed in an air accident in 1940; Eckbert, an army lieutenant, was killed in Italy a few days before the war ended.

Berthold said that consequently he had found himself the "head of the family," and as such responsible for conducting its future affairs even though he never had any part in the steel business.

He said he expected the heavy parts of the Krupp works would be socialized along with a general socialization of basic industries in the British zone. But he added he hoped the family would be able to retain some of the non-war factories.

No Bread Changes

VANCOUVER (CP)—Bakery officials today said no changes are expected to take effect here following removal of certain restrictions governing sale and manufacture of bread, including limitation of loaf size. The size of the loaf is governed by provincial regulations.

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ANNOUNCEMENTS

A salvage collection for Oak Bay, Shoal Bay and Uplands. Phone E 3413.

A beautiful array of hand-painted silk gifts for Easter or the bride, at the Blue Window, 1607 Douglas, E 5815.

A native Indian chief and artist Jo Caplano will speak in his full regalia Monday, 8 p.m., Provincial Museum to B.C. Indian Arts and Welfare Society. Public cordially invited.

Attention Yarrow's workers—Mass meeting for all workers affected by the shutdown at No. 2 Yard, Monday morning, March 31, at 10, Broad Street Auditorium, 1412 Broad Street. To go back to work Monday afternoon, come to this meeting.

A salvage collection for James Bay, Esquimalt and Gorge. Phone E 3413.

Alderwood—16-mile post, Malahat Highway, a new place to have luncheons, afternoon teas or chicken and steak dinners served in a home-like atmosphere. Finest quality foods. For reservations phone evenings, B1883. Opening date, Good Friday, April 4.

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Alcoholics Anonymous—The alcoholic, as distinguished from a normal drinker, is a person who drinks ever when he doesn't want to and knows he shouldn't. Such compulsive drinking causes unhappiness and ruins careers. If this is your problem, then you may obtain help—freely and confidentially. Apply Victoria Chapter, Alcoholics Anonymous, P.O. Box No. 1, Victoria, P.O. Box No. 869, Duncan, B.C.

Clubroom for rent—Centrally located. Kitchen facilities optional. Permanent or transient, apply by letter. Business and Professional Women's Club, 1353 Craigdarroch.

Do your spring cleaning the easy way—rent an Electrolux for the day, E 5584.

Crucifixion, Oak Bay United Church, Good Friday, 8 p.m.

Don't miss Brownies concert, Saturday, 7.30, Reformed Church Hall, 35c.

Dr. E. S. Fowles, formerly of 1093 Foul Bay Road, wishes to announce the opening of his new office for the general practice of dentistry at 2131 Oak Bay Avenue.

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Grouse Nest will be open for the Easter holidays. Make your reservation now. Sooke 7G.

Jerome Kern's "Showboat" will be presented on the Y.M.C.A. Music Hour tomorrow evening. The film, "Poland on the Prairies," will be shown.

Mr. J. Van Maanen, formerly of Wenger's Ltd., specializing in fine watch and jewelry repairs, is now located at 133 Pemberton Building. Telephone G 4921.

Old Country bookings, C.N.E. ticket office, 911 Government Street, phone E 7127.

"Olivet to Calvary," sacred cantata in St. Andrew's Presbyterian Church on Wednesday, April 2, 8 p.m., by the augmented choir.

Pauline Gill Blay, optometrist of Duncan, B.C., wishes to announce the opening of another office at 2522 Estevan Ave., Victoria, B.C. For appointment in Victoria, phone Blay's Pharmacy, B4046; for Duncan appointments, phone 625. Eyes examined and lenses repaired.

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The King's Daughters' daffodil tea at home of Mrs. Edwin Tomlin, 1930 Woodley Road, April 9.

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Twilight recital at First Baptist Church by Beethoven Choral Club, Sunday at 3.

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Women's Canadian Club, Wednesday, April 2, Empress Hotel ballroom, 2.45 p.m., "Yesterday's Schools For Tomorrow's Citizens." Illustrated, Victoria High School boys' senior choir.

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Drastic New Curbs For Communists In U.S. Predicted

WASHINGTON (AP)—A member of the House of Representatives Committee on Un-American Activities said today the group may vote 4 to 3 against outlawing the Communist Party in the United States, but is sure to recommend drastic new legal curbs on Communist manoeuvring in the country.

The member, who withheld use of his name, said the seven-man committee may be unanimous in support of anti-Communist legislation short of making the whole party an illegal organization.

The committee made public Friday night a report which it said furnished historical proof running back to 1919 that the party in the United States is "the agent" of Russia.

QUOTE 92 DOCUMENTS

The report listed 92 documents which it called "typical directives from Moscow affecting the Communist movement in the United States."

Included were excerpts from Russian broadcasts, Communist books and records of party conventions.

If various members pool their ideas, the committee may report that it can fight Communism vigorously by continuing to expose it and also by:

Saying in one or more laws, with appropriate penalties, that it is illegal to urge or conspire to overthrow the United States government by unconstitutional methods or by force and violence.

Strengthening the law against treason to get at border line cases.

Requiring the Communist Party to publish its membership lists and sources of income.

1,000 Chinese Die

SHANGHAI (AP)—Defence Minister Pai Chung-hsi declared in a broadcast from Formosa today that more than 1,000 Chinese civil servants and dependents from the mainland were killed or injured in riots which began on Formosa Feb. 28.

He disclosed that the rioters at one time or another occupied at least six towns, but declared that peace and order had been restored and that striking workers had returned to their jobs.

Weather

Weather today and Sunday: Intermittent rain on the west coast extended to the lower mainland this afternoon and to the Queen Charlottes. Higher than normal temperatures are general.

Vancouver and Vicinity Lower Fraser Valley, Georgia Straits—Overcast today and Sunday. Rain showers this afternoon, tonight and Sunday. Light winds. Little change in temperature.

Victoria and Vicinity—Overcast today and Sunday. Rain showers afternoon and tonight. Intermittent rain Sunday morning. Light winds. Little change in temperature.

West Coast Vancouver Island—Overcast. Intermittent rain today and Sunday.

	To 9 a.m.	P.M.	Today	Precip.
Montreal	15	22		
Toronto	32	32		Trace
North Bay	4	33		
Port Arthur	11	33		06
Kenora	2	29		06
Winnipeg	5	34		04
Brandon	2	33		03
Regina	3	34		
Saskatoon	16	36		
Prince Albert	8	35		
N. Battleford	17	37		
Swift Current	20	38		
Medicine Hat	30	46		
Lethbridge	27	48		
Calgary	26	45		
Edmonton	31	36		
Kamloops	39	43		
Penticton	31	65		
Vancouver	44	53		
Seattle	49	57		Trace
Portland	39	70		
Cranbrook	28	69		
Creighton Valley	29	67		
Prince Rupert	17	36		
Prince George	32	34		
Seattle	47	70		
Portland	39	70		
Sokane	24	67		
Chicago	32	41		02
San Francisco	44	63		03
Los Angeles	32	70		25
New York	36	41		

Save Price Ceilings Off Used Cars Soon

OTTAWA (CP)—An informed Ottawa source said today that price ceilings will be coming off used cars in Canada shortly, probably next month.

"The nearer new car production comes up to supplying the present demand, the less chance there is that ceiling prices on used cars will be retained," the spokesman said.

He declined to elaborate, but his statement was taken as an indication Prices Board officials are keeping a close watch on production of new cars in relation to the demand and that as soon as the relationship reaches a certain stage, the used car market will be thrown open as to price.

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by the warden of the preserve
and lookouts were posted on
high rocks around the picnic
party.

The Royal party saw no lions
during the first part of the trip,
because the grass was high after
early rains, but they saw herds
of wildebeest and impalas—
types of antelope—zebras and
tropical birds.

Crib Burns; Baby Dies

SAINT JOHN, N.B. (CP)—
Muril Linda Robinson, six-
week-old daughter of Mr. and
Mrs. Harry R. Robinson, was
fatally burned early Friday when
the crib in which she lay ill
caught fire while her mother
dozed in a nearby chair. The
infant was under treatment with
an inhalant which was being
kept hot by an electric hotplate
at the bedside.

Mere 101 Years Between Them



Gloria Garcia gives light to her great-grandfather, Jesus Andasola, who celebrated his 110th birthday same day Gloria celebrated her ninth. Andasola, San Jose, Calif., was born in Chihuahua, Mexico, in 1837. He's proud of the fact his hair, white for years, is turning black again. He still likes cigars, but gave up drinking tequila last year.

**Says A-bomb Threat
Keeping Russia To
Reasonable Limits**

WASHINGTON (AP)—George H. Earle, onetime diplomat and Governor of Pennsylvania, said Friday that if the United States "didn't have the A-bomb, Russian armies would have fanned out all over Europe today and over most of Asia."

Earle told the House of Representatives Committee on Un-American Activities that in such a Soviet advance, Sweden, Switzerland and Spain would be the "islands of resistance."

"Governor," remarked representative Karl Mundt (Rep.-S.D.), "that is an important statement."

"That's what I believe," Earle said. Preceding Earle in the witness chair, Governor Kim Sigler of Michigan, testified that three high officials of the United Automobile Workers (C.I.O.) Union are "captives of the Communist Party of the United States."

Sigler said the three officials are: "R. J. Thomas, former president and now vice-president of

the union; George Addes, union secretary-treasurer; and Richard P. Leonard, national director of the Ford Department."

Earle and Sigler testified after committee Chairman J. Parnell Thomas had said the committee would press "a probe of Hollywood."

**Tories Re-elect
J. M. Macdonnell**

OTTAWA (CP)—J. M. Macdonnell, P.C., Muskoka-Ontario, was unanimously re-elected president of the Progressive Conservative Association of Canada at its fifth annual meeting.

John Bracken, Progressive Conservative leader, was re-elected honorary president. Vice-presidents elected include Miss Hilda Hesson of Winnipeg and E. D. Fulton, M.P., for Kamloops.

Urge Reciprocity

VANCOUVER (CP)—Dunbar Liberal Association here has adopted a resolution calling for re-enactment of Sir Wilfrid Laurier's 1911 proposal of trade "reciprocity" with the United States.

News Of The Island

**Ladysmith Tax Rate
Struck At 49 Mills**

LADYSMITH—With 1947 estimates showing expenditures totaling \$36,301, of which amount \$14,456 is to be raised by taxation, Ladysmith City Council struck the tax rate at 49 mills for the year as compared with 44½ mills in 1946.

General rate for 1947 is 33 mills and school 16 mills. Last year the general rate was 26 mills and school 18½ mills.

Council granted a request for free water for the year from Ladysmith General Hospital. An old fire hall truck will be among the equipment of no further use to the city, which will be offered for public sale as soon as titles and registrations are cleared.

City clerk was instructed to obtain rates paid for the same classes of work by the Civic Employees' Association of Vancouver and other British Columbia cities, when council discussed an application for wage increases by public works and waterworks employees of \$1 per day, or a 25 per cent increase.

Application of volunteer firemen for an increase in practice allowance was granted with the rate increased from 50 cents to \$1 per practice, only when practices are attended.

**Red Cross Drive
Nets \$1,096
In Langford Area**

LANGFORD—A pavel was presented to W. J. Willway, president of the Belmont Unit of the Red Cross Society by C. B. F. Bullen, at a meeting Thursday night at the home of W. E. Stevenson, Island Highway.

Recent Red Cross drive which included Royal Roads, Happy Valley, Luxton, Colwood and Langford, resulted in a total collection of \$1,096.50.

Annual garden party at Royal Roads will be held June 15. The following committee was appointed to make arrangements: Mesdames B. W. Parker, M. Burbridge, J. McFarlane and Messrs. W. J. Willway and G. A. Turner.

**Langford Parents
At Teen Meeting**

LANGFORD—Many parents attended a meeting of the Langford Teen-Age group, to observe the proceedings, at Chez Marcel. Norma Dickie was elected publicity convener while Helen Cuche, president, was elected delegate to the Teen Town Conference at Vancouver April 10. A collection was taken for the Red Cross.

The pocket watch was invented in Nuernberg.

**To Build Modern
Theatre For Lake
Cowichan Area**

MESACHIE LAKE—Residents of the Lake Cowichan area, now seeing motion pictures in the Community Hall once a week, will soon have a modern theatre.

Necessary materials have been obtained and construction of a theatre on a site already excavated, will begin in April. The building will be completely modern with a seating capacity of 400. There will be a sound-proof nursery and air conditioning.

**Better Lighting For
Salt Spring In Fall**

GANGES—Better lighting at Salt Spring cannot be expected until autumn, when the Campbell River project will be completed, S. R. Weston of the B.C. Power Commission told a luncheon meeting at Harbor House, Ganges, called by Gavin C. Mouat, for the purpose of introducing members of the Power Commission to residents of the island, with a view to discussing the local light and power situation.

Mr. Mouat introduced W. W. Foster, chairman of the commission, and D. Stevenson, Forrest L. Shaw and Mr. Weston.

Mr. Weston, in his talk, stated the reason why more could not be done in the past to help in the matter of power was due to lack of material, which, being rationed, was only obtainable in small quantities.

Probability of putting an alternate cable through Gabriola, Valdez, Galiana and Wallace Islands, was a new project the commission had in mind, he said. If the project was approved by the board and financially feasible, it would be done, when more material was available, he added.

When the original line had been put through Salt Spring, it carried ample power for the needs of the community, the growth of the island and corresponding demand being at that time unforeseen, he said.

Mr. Foster outlined the policy of the B.C. Power Commission, which had been set up by the government in 1945, and Mr. Shaw spoke of the B.C. Power Commission Act, explaining its financial side.

**Russia Keeping
Troops In Dairen**

NANKING (AP)—Russia still has 100,000 troops in Dairen and Port Arthur, upsetting hopes that China would occupy the big Manchurian port of Dairen in the next few days, it was reported on high authority Friday.

The disclosure the Russians still were in Dairen in force was made by Gen. Chen Cheng, chief of staff, at a closed meeting, sources told the Associated Press.

In addition, Chen reported there were 30,000 Chinese Communist soldiers at Pulantien, barring the way for government troops waiting to move into Dairen from the north.

Chen was reported to have said he would not order his army into Dairen until all Russian troops are gone.

Previously, high Chinese officials had predicted the recovery of the key city, which under the Chinese-Russian treaty will go back to China as a free port, was only a matter of a few days.

Argentina Out of Pact

LONDON (CP)—Argentina has decided that she cannot at present become a party to the agreement now being negotiated by the International Wheat Conference here, it was announced Friday.

Chairman Sir Gerard Clauson indicated to reporters a world wheat agreement with a price range of from \$1.25 to \$1.80 a bushel may be made effective Aug. 1.

**Death Sentences
Of Negroes Commuted**

ACCRA, Gold Coast (AP)—Governor Sir Allen Burns announced Friday that death sentences for two African negro tribesmen convicted of a ritual murder had been commuted to life imprisonment.

There fellow tribesmen were hanged here last Monday. Six reprieves were granted to allow the tribesmen's lawyers to appeal a judge's refusal to allow them habeas corpus hearings.

The five negroes were accused of killing a deputy tribal chieftain so that his blood could be spilled over a throne at the ritual burial of a high chief.

Actress Awaits Comeback Role



Paralyzed since she accidentally shot herself in the spine three years ago, actress Susan Peters spruces Timothy, 11-month-old adopted son, as her husband, Richard Quine, directs proceedings. Miss Peters will have a starring part in her comeback picture, "Sign of the Ram," in which she portrays a girl in a wheelchair.

**Continued General Price Control
Advocated By Labor Congress**

OTTAWA (CP)—Resumption of general price control, greater income tax exemptions, a national health insurance scheme and elimination of private money from National Housing Act financing were among measures proposed to the government Friday by the Trades and Labor Congress of Canada.

The congress also proposed enactments over a broad field of labor, social and general legislation, including the creation of a maritime commission, outlawing of injunctions in labor disputes, a 40-hour week and paid holidays for all government employees and several proposals for the projected national labor code.

Suggestions for the code included:

1. A ban on company unions.
2. Naming of unions, rather than individuals, as collective bargaining agencies.
3. No interference with the closed shop.
4. Inclusion under the code of all civilian employees of dockyards, harbor boards, crown companies and similar agencies.

ASK LARGER BENEFITS

1. Increase in the rates of unemployment insurance benefit payments and extension of the period in which persons may draw benefits.
2. Establishment of a "more accurate" cost-of-living index.
3. Selective immigration.
4. Overhauling of the Canada Shipping Act.

5. A national apprenticeship training plan.

6. Equipping of Canadian ports on a basis comparable to United States and European harbors.

7. Overtime payment for postal clerks, letter carriers, mail porters and customs and excise employees.

Discussing price control, the Congress declared their maintenance was necessary now "if the evils of inflation are to be avoided."

On the income tax, the Congress asked that the exemptions be boosted from \$660 to \$1,000 for single persons and from \$1,200 to \$2,400 for married persons.

The brief declared the National Housing Act should be "removed from the control of private banks and mortgage corporations." Loans should be made directly through a government agency such as the Bank of Canada. "More attention" was sought in the provision of rental housing for low-income groups.

**Outstanding Year For
Great-West Life**

J. R. Nicolson, local branch manager of the Great-West-Life, reports business in the island branch reached a new high in 1946, when all previous records were surpassed. The Dominion Life Underwriters Association recently elected Mr. Nicolson as regional vice-president for British Columbia.

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**Iran To Demand
War Reparations**

MOSCOW (AP)—Iran served notice Friday she would claim reparations at the peace conference from Germany for war damages listed at \$955,000,000.

Iran's ambassador, Prince Mozaffer Firouz, said at the same time that he had received personal assurances from all the four-power foreign ministers that they would support Iran's request that she be allowed to participate in the peace conference.

Firouz resorted to documents described as "secret" to support Iran's claim to participate in the conference, apparently following the lead of the foreign ministers.

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ASIA STIRRING

ONE OF THE WORLD'S MOST IMPORTANT developments in recent days which has evoked but scant mention in the news dispatches is the meeting in New Delhi to which more than thirty Asiatic countries sent delegates. Several of the outstanding leaders of thought in India addressed this gathering and expressed the hope that out of its deliberations would emerge an Asian Institute For the Study of Common Problems which, incidentally, concern more than half the world's people.

It requires little imagination to realize how the conclusions reached and policies designed at this gathering may influence the course of human history during the present and next generation. Meagre dispatches from New Delhi have not indicated the trend of debate. Nor need the peoples of the world, still woefully unfamiliar with the thought processes of the Asiatics, be unduly disturbed by a conference of representatives of races whose skin is not white. What every intelligent student of the difference in outlook between participants in the meeting in India's capital and the rest of the world should bear in mind, however, is that the acquisition of self-government by India and other Asiatic states is bound to induce such peoples to take stock of their present conditions and speculate on their future potential influence on world affairs.

Nothing in the proceedings which mark the New Delhi Conference suggests an early or remote conflict between Asiatic and Occidental peoples. But that such a meeting at such an interesting and intriguing stage in history should be taking place at all ought to convince the western world that these new forces in international politics must be reckoned with intelligently if the fears of many writers of recent days are not to be experienced in uncomfortable fact.

TIME WILL TELL

WHAT CRITICS OF THE KING GOVERNMENT have been advocating impatiently since the end of the Second World War is beginning to take form in national policy. Many of the controls instituted under the direction of the Wartime Prices and Trade Board are gradually disappearing. The administration at Ottawa is being reminded that the conflict is at an end, that peace is here, and that there is no earthly reason why any form of directive affecting our normal lives should be retained.

All this is easy to say. It requires no mental effort to tell the government to reduce taxation. But more often than not those who are loudest in their demands for easement under various heads are among the most vocal in demanding new expenditures from the national till. If the government, in its wisdom, feels that it can afford to allocate large sums for this, that and the other—regardless of the obligation to begin reducing the public debt—well and good. But we cannot have our cake and eat it.

The moral of this argument is a simple one. The national debt of this country is approximately \$19,000,000,000. This is the financial load which 12,000,000 people must carry. In other words, either the Minister of Finance must substantially reduce this obligation within the next year or so, by maintaining a taxation structure essential to its annual servicing and its subsequent liquidation, or Canada may soon begin to qualify as a debtor. Certainly we owe the money to ourselves; certainly we are the second largest creditor nation in the world; certainly the enterprise and initiative of our own people is sufficient to guarantee the discharge of this obligation. But it must be said again that there is but one dollar from which the guardian of the Dominion's treasury can draw. This is the dollar of the average Canadian.

MORE JUDGES NECESSARY

ATTORNEY-GENERAL GORDON WISMER, British Columbia's able first law officer, is asking the Legislature to approve an amendment to the Supreme Court Act which would increase the number of justices from six to seven. While this proposal may not entirely satisfy the request of Chief Justice Wendell Farris, who has suggested an increase of two members to his bench, it should go a substantial way toward the relief of those eminent jurists who are at present seriously over-worked. One or two of the members of the bench, unhappily, are not in robust health. Others are literally working every hour of the day and often far into the night. The condition now prevailing, therefore, is not only working a hardship on them, but is not calculated to serve the best interests of the public.

The fact that the Supreme Court Justices last year were called upon to deal with many hundreds of divorce cases alone, to say nothing of an increase of labor occasioned by court business through a substantial advance in the population during recent years, is evidence that general efficiency is obviously a paramount argument in support of the measure which Mr. Wismer desires the Legislature to approve.

NO TIME FOR NEGLIGENCE

AS THE BRITISH COLUMBIA CANCER Foundation and the B.C. Branch of the Canadian Cancer Society prepare to open their second annual campaign against Canada's No. 2 killer, we are again reminded that the appalling toll exacted by this disease could be virtually halved if citizens would take simple precautions to catch it in its incipient stages.

Medical science has progressed to the point at which this scourge can be arrested before it has been able to establish a firm hold. As far as the individual is concerned, his or her opportunity to avoid becoming a fatal victim rests frequently in an annual medical examination. Such a precaution is little enough to expect from a public only too familiar with the ravages which may follow negligence.

Statistics emphasize the importance of taking every safeguard. In this province alone approximately 1,300 die annually from the disease. Furthermore, on the basis of past records, one Canadian in eight can expect to die from this malignancy unless its inroads into health are checked.

Fear of the disease provides no protection against it. Common sense dictates a course recommended by those who have made a study of cancer. Certain reasonably reliable symptoms are known. On their appearance, medical diagnosis should be sought without delay.

The crusade against cancer is everyone's business. The campaign progresses with expanding enlightenment.

WOULD THEY LISTEN?

FEW WILL QUARREL WITH THE INTENT of the resolution from the Trades and Labor Congress of Canada asking the government to install radio equipment in Parliament for the broadcast of major debates "with a view to creating more public interest in parliamentary affairs." In theory, at least, the proposal seems constructive. No one should be inclined to challenge any measure that will bring to the citizens a greater appreciation of their own business as it is conducted in the national forum.

There are, however, some elements in human nature which, together with purely technical factors, militate against complete success for the suggested venture. Those who have occupied the galleries of provincial legislatures, for instance, realize that much clay is moved before diamonds are revealed in parliamentary debate. More frequently than not the listening becomes fatiguing. What percentage of Canadians, we wonder, would tune in to such broadcasts? This does not suggest that the people of this Dominion should not be given the opportunity to hear, over the airwaves, the expressions of opinion by their elected representatives. But would the programs compete successfully with the commercial offerings, good and bad, which saturate the ether? The time of broadcast, too, would be a consideration that could not be ignored. What might be convenient for eastern Canada might not suit the west.

Coverage is given the Ottawa scene at present by some of the most competent newspapermen in the craft. In condensed form these trained observers present the developments at the national capital. We wonder, in consequence, how effective broadcasting of original debates would be to a public that can, if it wishes, keep itself informed through the medium of the written word at greater convenience and a saving of time.

GRANDMA'S DAY

REP. EARL WILSON OF INDIANA wants the United States Congress to set aside the second Sunday in October as "Grandmother's Day." Grandma Grace Gray of Mitchell, Ind., speaking for the National Grandmothers' Club of America, urges that there is already a Mother's Day, and every child has twice as many grandmothers as mothers.

Other sponsors plead for Congress to legalize Freedom Day (for former slaves), Good Friday, Pulaski Day, Patriot's Day (for the Lexington Minute Men), Shut-In's Day, American Indian Day, Dedication Day (for the Gettysburg address), Edison Day, Marine Corps Day.

We, too, love Granny. We would like to please her. But how about Sweethearts' Day? After all, most of us had at least twice as many sweethearts as we had grandmas; and we loved them, too, did we not? Or can we drop the whole business and agree with that Congressman, himself a grandfather, who snorted: "If we keep on we'll have more holidays than wash days."

DAY'S AT THE MORN

A COCK PHEASANT SHATTERS THE shining morning with his strident dissonance from the field below the thicket. Briefly he raises his head to flash the brilliance of his neck and chest plumage and then scurries through the clumps of weathered grass. Above him, the scrub oaks that have rested in the cold grey of winter are warming to the season. New growth in bud lends its russet to the branches, flecked with reticent green where leaves are cautiously breaking through their shards.

But if the oak is slow to proclaim its confidence in spring, it stands shamed by other growth. The moss on the hillside has renewed its texture. In an adjacent rocky profuse alpine plants bloom in clouds of blue and yellow. In the borders, bulbs splash bright colors to refresh the eye. New grass softens the harsh disorder of the vacant field and beneath flowering trees the confetti of fallen petals shines with dew.

Life seems to stir in the fresh turned garden soil; there is wine in the bright air. The day and the year are at the morn.

They Get Used To It

By F. B. WALKER from London
BRITAIN IS ADJUSTING herself slowly to her new condition. The first shock of the crisis has worn off and the discomforts which spring from it are no longer acute. They are chronic.

It becomes quite simple after awhile to adjust one's self to rationed electricity, dwindling or non-existent supplies of hot water, a paralyzed elevator system and an increasing number of minor discomforts arising from irregular transportation to working or attempting to work in one's overcoat.

The human mind and body are strangely flexible organs and, over here, the realization that this condition has no immediate end has been met with a mental shrug of the shoulders which represents both the best and the worst in the British character.

There arrives a point when the capacity to endure becomes a vice rather than a virtue and what may have been magnificent in wartime is not so healthy a characteristic when fighting an invisible enemy. It is this which makes so very difficult the task of putting over to the British people the dangers inherent in Britain's economic condition.

SOMEWHERE in the mind of the people is the feeling they will "get through somehow" and it is this type of complacency the government must fight if it is to secure the response from the people which the crisis demands.

It is hard to tell the British people on the idea that they are, if not over the economic precipice, at least walking along the edge of it. To the ordinary man, the crisis meant a temporary stoppage where he worked and the type of inconvenience already referred to. What he does not appear to realize is that the stoppages may get longer, the discomforts more lasting and his whole standards of living lower.

He has been told that the solution lies in his own hands. But even this appeal for hard work loses its force when he can see in the factory where he works only sufficient stocks of materials to last a day or so ahead. More than this, his inherent conservatism makes him fight a change.

THIS HAS BEEN the difficulty in persuading the trades unions to turn over to night shifts. The Englishman does not like them and it is doubtful whether he can be persuaded voluntarily to work them. Full employment is something which involves a completely new psychological approach on the part of the worker and this approach has not been effected yet.

If anything, the British housewife may be the first to gain a real understanding of the crisis, for it is upon her that the results of it have fallen most directly. It is the housewife who finds herself trying to adjust her labors to the vagaries of electricity supply and the dwindling response of the gas jet. It is she who must do her housework in the dark and cope with the endless drudgery of continued rationing.

THE GOVERNMENT may say that Britain's standard of living is better than it ever was but an arrangement of statistics is no compensation for the monotony of British meals and the paucity of household articles.

It is the housewife who may work the miracle of convincing her husband that the adjustments necessary to meet power rationing must be made.

If the crisis can be sold in terms of darkened streets, smaller rations, fewer clothes, no towels, unfit homes and colder kitchens, then perhaps the response may be sufficient to break the lethargy in which the British people seem to be gripped.

One of the difficulties is that the crisis has merely piled discomfort upon discomfort. If what has happened in Britain had happened in Canada, the effect and the response would be immediate. But the power cuts have only become more frequent; the rationing this winter more rigorous; and the difficulties of transportation more acute.

THERE IS NO SUDDEN impact—just one more obstacle to the return of what are now rather regretfully referred to as the pre-war years, even though those years were years of unemployment.

The present period has been called Britain's Economic Dunkerque and this again reflects that deep rooted belief that everything will come out all right. But Dunkerque was a defeat and not a victory and the consequences of Dunkerque and the parallel battles fought in that period show themselves in the ruins along London streets today.

It would be sad if Britain's Economic Dunkerque was also to produce in the economic structure of Britain the scars which its physical counterpart have left.

What is needed over here is not the spirit of Dunkerque but the spirit of D-Day. What is needed is not the ability to endure but the capacity to attack.

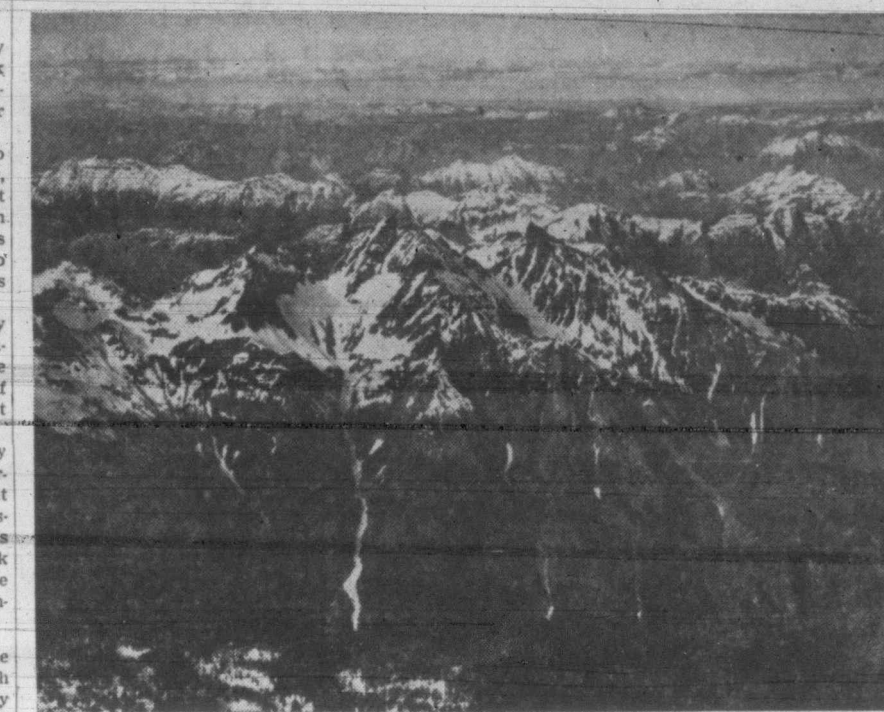
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Quoting

Modern engineers, with their knowledge of ball bearings and mechanics, can design rail vehicles that could travel at thousands of miles an hour.—Dr. Donald H. Andrews, Johns Hopkins University chemist.

With the great smoldering fires from World War II still burning, these gentlemen (budget cutters) would diminish the amount of fire insurance which they would carry on the United States and its 140,000,000 people. Senator Arthur H. Vandenberg, Republican of Michigan.

Whitecaps In A Sea Of Once Turbulent Rock



—R.C.A.P. Picture of Coast Range Peaks

Atomic Energy—The Future

By IAN COX

RADIO LISTENERS in Britain have just enjoyed a notable series of broadcasts. Each evening eminent authorities considered the particular aspects of nuclear energy, starting with the facts as known at present and then proceeding to give consideration to future implications.

The gravity of the dilemma in which we now find ourselves was stressed by all contributors. A series of talks was introduced by the novelist J. B. Priestley. "There is no dodging the subject of atomic energy," he said. "Can we use it productively before we start using it destructively again? If we cannot, then it is all up with some of us, certainly with you and me."

The first scientific experts to speak were Professor J. D. Cockcroft, director of the Atomic Research Establishment at Harwell and Professor M. Oliphant, another of Britain's leading atomic physicists who remarked, "That the first explosion in the desert destroyed the traditional freedom of the scientist, for his work now menaced the security of the world," to which Professor Cockcroft rejoined, "I agree that science is in danger, but not more than civilization itself. That is why we must solve the problem of the control of atomic energy."

PESSIMIST

Following these speakers, who summarized the past history of the discovery and described present-day methods, a distinguished airman, Group Captain Cheshire, V.C., who was an operational observer during the dropping of the first bomb concluded: "If man persists in claiming atomic energy for himself and entrusts its custody to purely human wisdom, then I for one hold little brief for the future of civilization."

Considering the problem philosophically in a masterly fashion, the eminent philosopher and mathematician, Lord Russell (Bertrand Russell) said among many stimulating things which

can scarcely be commented upon in a short scientific article, "Never since the beginning of recorded history has mankind been faced by so terrible a problem—the human race had to choose between utter destruction and unexamined well being."

PEACEFUL USE

The first of the talks on peaceful applications of nuclear energy was by Professor P. M. S. Blackett, one of the world's authorities on cosmic rays and a member of the Atomic Advisory Committee. Professor Blackett naturally concerned himself with the physical aspects. He first of all pointed out that all our present sources of power (coal, oil, water and wind) are stored up atomic energy, because the origins of all these things can ultimately be traced to the heat of the sun, which is atomic energy. Its source is the synthesis of helium out of hydrogen, and differs therefore from the energy in the uranium pile which is derived from the splitting up of the uranium nuclei into lighter components.

Talking of the future, Professor Blackett foresees two main types of atomic energy power units. The first is of a large capacity and would replace the large power stations; it would probably not be very different from the Hanford pile in the State of Washington; only the central temperature would need to be 500 degrees C. or even 1000 degrees C. instead of 100 degrees C. developed at Hanford. The plant itself and its ancillary equipment would probably be as large as in present power stations; the advantage would be in saving mining and transportation of coal. The second type of unit envisaged is a smaller one using "enriched material" instead of uranium. Plutonium, produced as in the Hanford type of pile could be used either alone or with some natural uranium; or uranium 235 could be partially separated from the less

active uranium 238 and the enriched material employed as fuel in the pile.

Professor Blackett was naturally diffident about making predictions as to when such power units might be available; but he hazarded that experimental plants might be working in the United States within the next two years, and that within five years we should be in a position to start designing power units and to form an estimate of their economics. If all went well, atomic power units might be making a marked contribution to world power resources within, say 20 years. While units might become available for large ships, plants for small ships, aircraft and vehicles were unlikely for a very long time. But for all of this to be possible, Professor Blackett concluded, scientific and technical effort must be concentrated on peaceful developments, not on making bigger and better bombs.

The second speaker on peaceful developments was Sir Henry Dale, O.M. Nobel prizeman and past president of the Royal Society. His appreciation differed from Professor Blackett's in that as a chemist, he is concerned with relatively small uses of nuclear energy—in particular the application of radio-active isotopes of common elements, produced artificially.

SUBSTITUTES

A number of possible substitutes for radium are now foreseen as a result of nuclear energy studies. Radium cobalt, for example, can be used to radiate tissue cells from the outside. The application can be extended further—to those elements which enter into the composition of a substance of living tissues. In these cases, if the radio-active isotope is employed, such tissues can be exposed to rays emitted from within their living cells. Excess activity of the thyroid gland, for instance, has already been treated in this way by short-lived radio-active iodine.

Having It Both Ways

By J. H. GRAY from Ottawa

A WAG ONCE said of an American congressman that he had stayed in office for 20 years by voting against all taxes and for all expenditures. This is by no means solely an American practice, as anyone who follows our own House of Commons is quick to see.

No party is more vocal about the need for reduction of taxes than the Conservative group led by Mr. Bracken. After several warm-up pitches, Mr. Bracken finally blazed across a fast curve calling for a 30 per cent tax cut. Everybody is in favor of lower taxes, just like everybody is against sin. One way of achieving a lower tax rate is by reducing expenditures. Ordinarily, the party leader makes the great pitch for economy, and tax cuts while his followers whoop it up for bigger and fancier government spending.

Mr. Bracken, in his performance to date, has, however, outdone most of his backbenchers in suggesting ways and means of unbalancing a budget. He wanted the government to get out of the minor tax fields to the tune of \$72,000,000 a year. He wants the government to proceed with its social security plans. The cost, depending on the scope, would run to several hundred millions.

Then he wants higher prices for dairy products.

Next to Mr. Bracken, the advice given by Mr. Pearkes and Mr. Merritt, would probably cost the most. Though their speeches were on the vague side, both took a dim view of curtailment of the armed services.

Mr. Merritt also wants some sort of federal subsidy of low rental housing. He did not go into detail.

T.V.A. FOR B.C.

Mr. Fulton of Kamloops came out for a T.V.A. for British Columbia, to be built with federal money. The Adams, Shuswap, Thompson and Fraser Rivers could be dammed. The power produced could be used to pump water into arable sections above the dams. The cost would be high but Mr. Fulton would vote for it like a shot.

The ideas of Mr. Manross of London, Ont., are more modest. He wants the tax removed from soda pop and candy bars. He urged that pensions be paid to all blind people at the age of 21 years. This would only require \$600,000 odd a year.

Mr. Rodney Adamson, Toronto, wants a free market in gold. The effect of this on the government's foreign exchange position would be almost disastrous but

it would prove satisfactorily profitable to the gold mines.

Mr. Art Smith, Calgary, wants the government to build a bobsled run at Banff and in addition turn the place into a winter sports paradise. This would be expensive, but Mr. Smith felt it would attract many tourists.

Mr. Menary, Wellington North, wants the government to institute a contributory old-age pension plan. The government would contribute about \$145,000,000 a year, on our calculation.

Mr. Garfield Case, Grey North, wants a \$50 old-age pension at the age of 70. He also wants the government to build schools and mental hospitals, with dollars provided by the Bank of Canada, and turn the institutions over to the municipalities.

No doubt many of these suggestions have some merits, just as some are tinged with madness. The merits of the proposals, however, are irrelevant. They are cited merely to show the inconsistency of the Conservative party. In fairness, it must be said that the Tories lag far down the field in comparison with the C.C.F. when it comes to thinking up grandiose schemes for spending the taxpayers' dollar.

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COAL SUBSTITUTE

Edmonton Bulletin
Necessity is still the mother of invention, and of the curiosity which leads to new discoveries in the great laboratory of nature. It is necessity-inspired curiosity that has put atomic energy on the list of possible substitutes for coal as the motive force of industry in Britain. Something has to be done there if production is not to be paralyzed whenever storms and bitter cold block transportation lines when householders need fuel in abnormal quantities.

KEEP THE BRAINS

Edmonton Journal
Finance Minister Abbott added another to the several hints he already has given Canadians that further reductions in income taxes may be expected this year. More interesting, and perhaps more significant, is Mr. Abbott's expressed belief that the higher taxes levied in Canada, as compared with those in the United States, on incomes in the \$4,000 to \$20,000 a year group, is a contributory cause of the exodus of young professional men to the States. No such difference is to be found in the lower or higher income groups in the two countries.

If by allowing our young professional men—chemists, engineers and others—a larger take-home pay, we could keep them in Canada, we would gain far more in the long run than the few thousands or millions of dollars we now collect from them for a few years through high income taxes.

GLARING INJUSTICE

Halifax Herald
Because Canada's scheme to aid veterans in finding their place in civilian life is so generally admirable, it is all the more important that flaws in the scheme, even minor, should be corrected as they appear. One of these flaws has been brought to light by the Students' Veterans Committee at McGill University. What the flaw amounts to is this: That if a disabled veteran, receiving a pension for war injuries, attends university and applies for educational benefits, he loses part of his pension.

A war pension, of course, is paid to a veteran as some recompense for the casualty he has suffered in the service of his country. No amount of money can fully compensate for a war injury, but it may help the veteran in making his way in civil life. It is obvious, therefore, that the pension belongs to the pensioner as of right and should not be subject to any deductions which destroy its purpose.

A HUSBAND FOR ELIZABETH

London Free Press
Probably Britons have other more pressing worries than the question of whom Princess Elizabeth, heiress presumptive to the British throne, is to marry. But the reported romance between the charming young princess and the handsome Philip has perhaps served to enliven a particularly trying period with something redolent of old-fashioned fairy tales.

Now it is intimated that the British Cabinet will not oppose the romance, and the course of true love may be allowed to flow with unaccustomed smoothness.

Poor Elizabeth is likely to have troubles enough. If she can find in a happy marriage the same steady influence that Queen Victoria did in her alliance with Albert, the Prince Consort, it might be well for her and her people in days to come. It is one of the dubious privileges of royalty to have a whole nation help them solve their matrimonial problems.

One For 'Bertie'

Ottawa Journal
Says an editorial in the New York Times: "From the day it broke away from the British Empire, the United States has been living in large measure under the protection of that Empire, and in particular of the British fleet. This was not necessarily an altruistic action on the part of Britain; but in the days when Europe was the world's powerhouse, and when Britain held the balance of power between predatory European empires, it was to her own best interests to keep other European powers out of the Western Hemisphere. It was this interest which inspired the Monroe Doctrine, which, though proclaimed by the United States as its own, was really made effective by the British fleet. It was this same interest which in the final analysis safeguarded the freedom of all the Americas."

If the Chicago Tribune's Col. McCormick doesn't get a fit when he reads this, then he's not the man we think he is. Especially as we all know.

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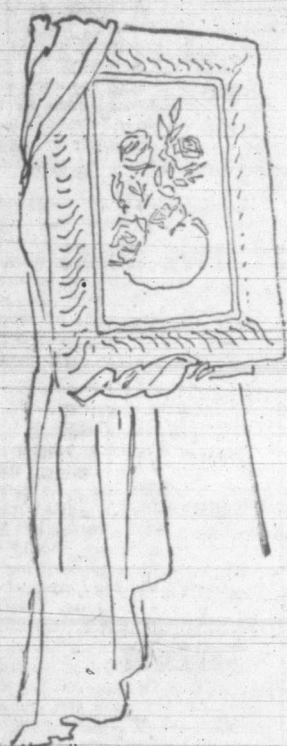
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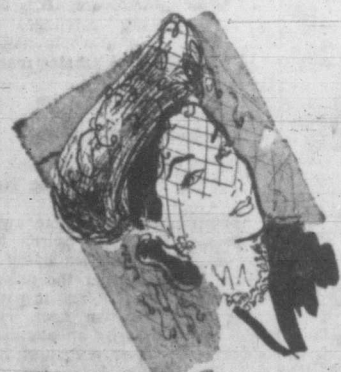
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The Adult Horticulture class at the Victoria Night School finished the course this week. As a token of appreciation the students presented their instructor, George H. Davey, with a Waterman pen and pencil set.

The Greater Victoria School Board is sponsoring a half-hour radio program on which the Esquimalt Schools' Band will play under the direction of Harry Bigsby from 2.30 to 3 Sunday afternoon.

Sunrise Service In Beacon Hill Park Easter Sunday

The fourth annual Sunrise Service of the Victoria Camp of the Gideons will be held on Easter Sunday morning at 7.45 in Beacon Hill Park.

The location for the service will be the same as last year, on the high, rocky ground just east of the roadway which enters Beacon Hill Park from the corner of Douglas and Michigan Streets at South Park School.

The Easter message will be delivered by Col. Arthur Hopkins, S.A., San Francisco, and the music will be supplied by the Salvation Army band under Bandmaster Max Chalk, with Maj. Fred Howlett as song leader. The coronet soloist will be Will Hastings and numbers will be contributed by the ladies' gospel quartette and the ambassadors' male quartette. J. Ingram Smith will be the accompanist.

The whole service will be carried over a loud-speaker system, so that those wishing to remain in their cars will be able to do so and still follow the service. Parking space will be available from both Douglas Street and Rupert Street.

Each person attending will receive a complete printed program of the service together with an attendance tag for the chapel.

Visitors and members of youth groups, Sunday school and Bible classes, and the armed forces are especially invited to be present.

"The Gideons are an international association of Christian businessmen with an evangelistic objective and a ministry of Bible distribution to hotels, hospitals, prisons, schools and various other establishments, and Testament distribution to schoolchildren," John Stewart, president of the Victoria camp, said today. "They are interdenominational and non-sectarian and as such conduct these Easter services as a community undertaking for the benefit of all interested residents and visitors regardless of church or other affiliations."

Oak Bay informed the City Council today that Councillor R. A. B. Wooten has been appointed their representative on the Greater Victoria Transportation Committee. Some time ago Saanich appointed Reeve W. C. Warren and Councillor John Oliver to the committee. Esquimalt has not informed the city of its appointee yet.

DOWN THE GARDEN PATH

The exodus of city dwellers intent on agriculture for recreation and better living is opening new vistas for garden tractors.

So far the garden tractor has proved an efficient tool for truck farmers, fruit and bulb growers and small farmers. Few realize the freedom from backbreaking toil and the increased efficiency made possible by their use, to the home gardener who has only limited time at his disposal. Nor is it generally known the variety of tasks in which the willing horse-and-a-half will assist, and the saving in time and money which it offers.

Garden tractors will operate effectively with a 10-inch plow, will operate a useful disc and carry on war against weeds with cultivator or seeding hoes. Potatoes and bulbs may be planted with a minimum of time expenditure by means of a furrower attachment, while the tractor will transport materials in a handy trailer drawn behind.

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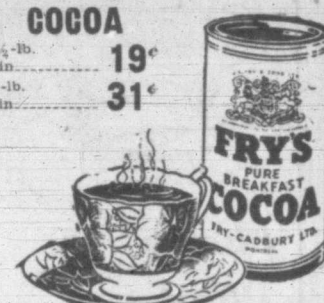
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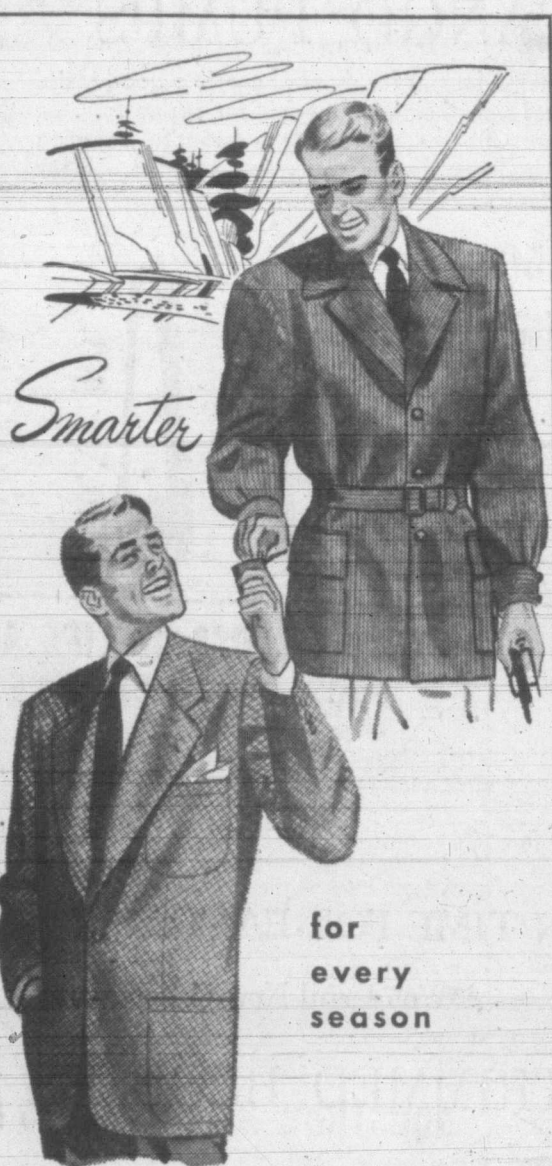
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Gallup Poll

Enough Jobs For Coming Year
61 Per Cent Of Public Thinks

By Canadian Institute of Public Opinion

Six in every 10 adult Canadians are confident that there will be enough jobs to go around in this country, at least for the coming 12 months.

Roughly one-half of voters in the Maritime provinces see pros-

pect of considerable unemployment there. Many in labor occupations throughout Canada also see less work ahead, but few farmers predict any lack of jobs on the land.

The people's own view of the employment outlook in their home communities is provided in the results of the latest Gallup Poll. The institute reporters asked a balanced cross-section of all classes of voters:

"Thinking only of the coming year, do you feel there will be jobs enough to go around in this community, or do you expect to see an unusual number of people out of work?"

An average of three in every 10 expect the job supply to fall short: Will be enough jobs, 61 per cent; unusual shortage of jobs, 31 per cent; undecided, 8 per cent.

Women are slightly less optimistic than men:

Enough jobs	Men	Women
Will be enough jobs	58%	54%
Unusual shortage of jobs	32%	37%
Undecided	10%	9%

People in the Maritime provinces, faced with an actual job shortage today, are about evenly divided in their view of future employment conditions in that area.

SOME LABOR MEN CAUTIOUS

In all parts of the country a distinctly cautious view is expressed by the industrial laboring class, who are most directly affected by poor employment conditions. The average large city expression, for example, contrasts sharply with the farm viewpoint:

Farm	Cities Over 100,000
Enough jobs	70%
Unusual shortage of jobs	21%
Undecided	9%

Similar variance of viewpoint contrasts business leaders as a group with the industrial labor workers and their families:

Business	Professional	Labor
Enough jobs	70%	52%
Unusual shortage of jobs	21%	38%
Undecided	9%	10%

Since the question relates to the prospect of employment for all in the respective local communities the above divergence in viewpoint reflects sharp differences in the outlook of citizens generally, and of their leading businessmen, particularly in the larger industrial communities.

Clearly business leaders are confident that high employment will be maintained. But their optimism does not enjoy equivalent support among the workers of their communities.

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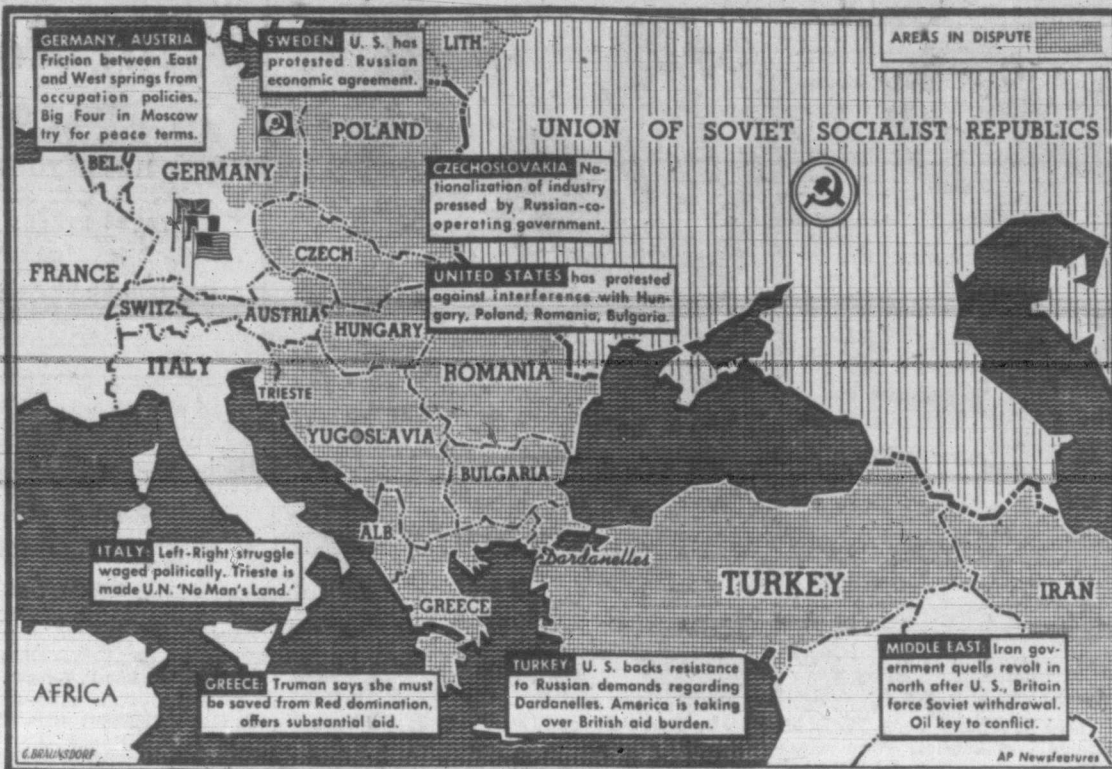
In THE GOSPEL WITNESS of March 27, also

ROCKWOOD'S SERMONS WHICH
PRESBYTERY ORDERED BURNED

of Truro, N.S. Both series, "Protestants Awake," and "The Church Sick unto Death." The exact text of the sermons upon which Mr. Rockwood's "Trial" by Presbytery was based, are contained in THE GOSPEL WITNESS of March 13 (special issue, 32 pages), as well as a verbatim report of DR. SHIELDS' ADDRESS, entitled: "Rev. Perry F. Rockwood—a Hero of the Faith, or a Fundamentalist Fanatic?" as preached in Jarvis Street Baptist Church, Toronto, Ont., Sunday, March 9.

Send this advertisement with fifteen cents in stamps, or coin, to THE GOSPEL WITNESS, 130 Gerrard St. East, Toronto 2, Ontario, for March 13th, 20th and 27th issues, that you may be informed of Mr. Rockwood's exact words, and judge the merits of the case for yourself.

WHERE TRUMAN DRAWS A LINE



The decision at Washington, D.C., to underwrite Greece and Turkey as outposts of U.S. strategy in an ideological struggle with the Soviet Union is the climax of much friction along an arc from the sandy Middle East to the icy Arctic.

Geographical advantage and natural resources—age-old goals of expansion—have played a part in the competition which now threatens to split apart the one-world concept of the United Nations. This has been chiefly true in Iran, which has rich oil deposits and is in a strategic location. In a race for dominance, soon after the war, Britain and the United States turned back Russian penetration toward the Persian Gulf.

The Dardanelles, traditional objective of Russia, was the issue that first brought Turkish cries for aid to western ears. Backed by the United States and Britain, Turkey last summer declined a Soviet request to revise in Russia's favor, the rules controlling the Dardanelles. Now, with Britain unable to continue carrying the load, President Truman has decided the U.S. must also support Turkey financially and militarily.

Greece, which shares Turkey's strategic position in the eastern Mediterranean, also will receive help from the United States to stem either Russian expansion or "totalitarian" ideas, under the administration's plan.

FIRST TIME SINCE 1829

Torn by civil war and occupied by British troops, this bastion of western democracy finds itself paired with Turkey for the first time since 1829. In that year the Greeks, aided by Lord Byron, threw off the Turkish yoke which had been on them since 1456. In the century after their liberation, the Greeks fought Turkey in three more wars. Active hostilities ended with the treaty of Lusanne in 1923.

In World War I, Turkey was an ally of Germany while Greece fought on the side of Britain, her traditional protector. In the Sec-

ond World War, Turkey remained neutral until three months before Germany gave up, but the Greeks were engaged from 1940 on.

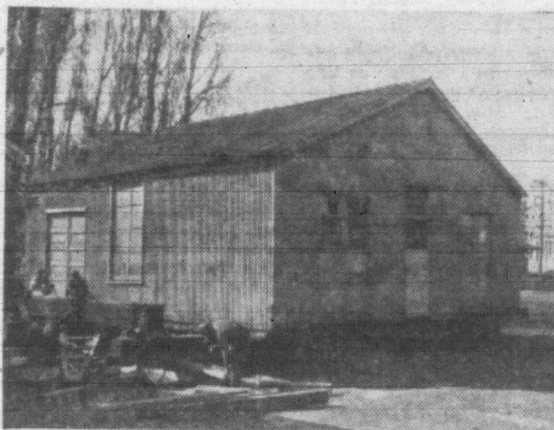
Both Greece and Turkey have compulsory military service, and the new U.S. policy calls for help

in equipping and training these forces.

Russian activities in eastern Europe, as well as those of Communist parties elsewhere on the continent since the war, have led to widespread ideological clashes with the western democracies.

U.S. protests against Red politi-

cal interference have recently been levelled in regard to Poland, Bulgaria, Hungary and Romania. These are in the vast "disputed zone" of Europe where the President's challenge may presage a new struggle between Communism and western democracy.

87-Year-Old 'Prefabricated'
Building Moved To New Site

Workmen setting the 86-year-old "rectory" on its new site.

To the Heaney workmen who were moving the old building it was just another routine job until one of the "sidewalk foremen" informed them of the history of the building and then the job took on a new interest.

The building in question is the old corrugated iron structure which has stood alongside the King's Printers on Superior Street. Yesterday it was moved 100 feet to the rear so that the front space could be used as a parking lot. The building had rested on this site for 87 years.

It was first used as a house and then it was taken over as a government office. Today it is used as quarters for an artist and a cameraman who work for the Provincial Government Travel Bureau which has its offices in the King's Printers.

The most interesting fact about the building is that it was constructed in England, shipped in sections to Victoria, and was as-

sembled on the Superior Street site in much the same manner as the prefabricated houses of today are.

ORIGINALLY A RECTORY

The building was originally intended as the rectory for the first Bishop of Columbia, the Rt. Rev. George Hills.

Following his arrival in this part of the Empire the bishop realized the need for a large church. He wrote to friends in England of this need and as a result word was sent from the Baroness Burdett-Coutts that she was willing to supply the material.

In due time a ship arrived from "around the Horn" with a cargo of enough corrugated iron to build a church and a house which had already been built and was only needing to be assembled.

In those days, Victoria was a part of the Hudson's Bay Company and the bishop bought the

property at Fisgard and Douglas Streets from the company for a token sum as the site for his new church. In 1860 the first St. John's Church of Victoria was built from the iron and, according to church records, the cornerstone of the church was laid on April 13 of that year by Sir James Douglas, Governor of the colony of British Columbia.

This church, known as "The Old Iron Church," stood until 1920 when the property was sold back to the Hudson's Bay Company as a site for their present store. The selling price of the property was used as the major part of the finances for building the new St. John's Church on Quadra Street.

The bishop already had a house, however, and so it was that "rectory" was not built next to the church but was assembled on the Superior Street site.

Pacific Club Dinner

Two hundred members of the Pacific Club were entertained Friday with music and speech making at the annual dinner of the club held in the club premises, Pemberton Building.

Charles Brown, president, recalled the history of the organization. Magistrate Henry C. Hall proposed a toast to the club. E. F. (Ted) Fox replied to the toast. B.C. Police Commissioner T. W. S. Pearson and Victoria Police Chief J. A. McLellan, two guests, presented billiard prizes.

Charles Lawrence won the club's open championship, with John Fox runner-up. The club's handicap championship went to Carl Brand with James Dewar runner-up.

To Draw Up Plan
For Parking Meters

The public works committee will seek authority from Monday's City Council meeting to draw up a plan for the installation of parking meters in Victoria, Ald. J. D. Hunter, chairman, said following a meeting Friday.

The type of meters to be installed will also be determined by the committee if the council approves the plan. J. D. Foreman, representative of the company that supplied Vancouver and New Westminster with meters, will be asked to explain their operation to the council.

Installation of meters will involve no capital expenditure for the city, Ald. Hunter explained, as the company does this and accepts payment with a share of the earnings.

It will also be recommended that special crossing zones be painted on streets adjacent to schools. This is on the request from the Kiwanis Club, and the crossing zones will be marked with two heavy yellow lines with parallel cross-lines placed angle-wise between them.

The amendment of the traffic by-law to require motorists to bring their vehicles to a full stop when crossing zones are being used by children is also under

consideration, Ald. Hunter reported.

The scale of fees for building permits will be increased if the recommendation is approved by the council. This will bring the fees charged here into line with other cities, Ald. Hunter said.

It will be recommended that a quantity of rock on Topaz Avenue, east of The Rise be taken out, to remove a traffic hazard there.

Miss Mary King, 16 Cross Street, Northam, N.B., Bedford, North Devon, England, who is just recovering from a long illness, has written Mayor Percy George and asked his assistance in obtaining pen pals.



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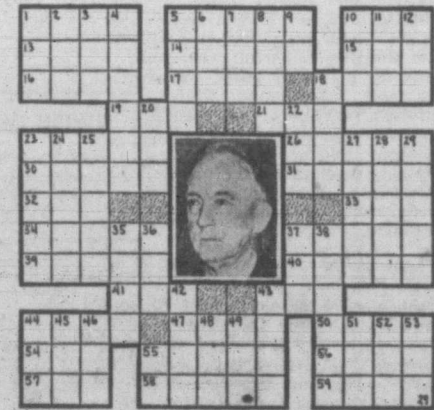
Today's Crossword Puzzle

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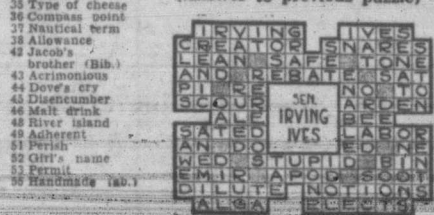
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10. Pictorial
11. Brain passage
12. Recompense
13. Constellation
16. Row
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19. Conclusion
21. Auricle
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23. He is an associate justice of the U.S.
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25. Pious case
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27. ether
28. Lucern
29. Porcy
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31. connectedly
32. Mountain crest
33. Acts
34. Electrical unit
35. Reverend fear
36. Siamese coin
37. Stunt
38. Levantine ketch
39. False and
40. Labyrinth
41. West Indian islane
42. French river
43. Poem
44. Muffled
45. Tide

VERTICAL

1. Belongs to him
2. Indian
3. Driving command
4. Trying experience
5. Brought up
6. Conducted
7. Music
8. Walking stick
9. Blue Grass
10. "Male" (ab.)
11. Bare
12. Boundary
13. Comb. form
14. Dine
15. God of love
16. Horn
17. High card
18. Dense
19. Kitchen furniture



(Answer to previous puzzle)



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Leave Next Week For Mexico To Make Their Home



Mrs. Mitchell W. Thom, with her three daughters, Joan-Marie, left, Shirley Mae, right, and Dorothy Jean, will leave for Seattle next Thursday en route to Los Angeles, from where they will fly to Mexico City to join Mr. Thom, who recently accepted the position of superintendent of the paper and box department of United Shoe and Leather Company there. Miss Dorothy Thom, who is a registered nurse, expects to practice her profession in Mexico. Joan-Marie will attend grade school in Mexico City and Shirley Mae will go on to college in the States. Mr. Thom preceded his family south in February. Mrs. Thom and her daughters will spend their last few days in Victoria at the Cathay Apartment Hotel.

Special Meeting Of Women's Club

The Women's Canadian Club at Victoria will hold a special guest day meeting on Wednesday in the Crystal Ballroom at the Empress Hotel, when the program will be devoted to the educational system of Greater Victoria.

This area, comprising Victoria, Oak Bay, Esquimalt and Saanich has a total school population of almost 10,000 pupils. Austin Curtis, chairman of the Greater Victoria School Board, will be the speaker and a film will be shown depicting some of the educational facilities of our school system.

A senior boys' choir of Victoria High School, under the direction of Miss Norma Douglas will sing a group of songs. Rodney Nixon will sing a solo. Miss Evelyn Prisk will be the accompanist.

Personal Notes

Dr. and Mrs. Luther Richmond of Virginia and Mrs. Helen de Majewski of New York and Winnipeg have been spending a few days at the Empress Hotel en route to Salt Lake City.

Attending the wedding of Mr. Gerald Wakelin and Henrietta Borkent which took place Friday in Vancouver were Mrs. L. Blakney and Mr. F. Bearpark of Victoria.

Mrs. J. L. LeHuquet and Jacqueline, Central Avenue, will leave Sunday afternoon for Seattle, where they will be the guests of Mr. and Mrs. S. Benson. Before returning to the city, they will spend a few days with Rev. and Mrs. W. Redman on Vashon Island.

Mrs. Robert Crawford and her daughter-in-law, Mrs. Douglas Crawford of Montreal, have been the guests of Mrs. Peter H. Paterson, Carberry Gardens. They have also been visiting Mrs. Crawford's son, Mr. Stuart Crawford, who is studying forestry at University of B.C.

Honoring their son Jack on the occasion of his 12th birthday, Rev. and Mrs. G. R. Easter entertained at their Hollywood Crescent home recently. Baseball and other games were enjoyed by the guests who included Dorothy Brain, Shirley Allen, Joan Orton, Barbara Buyers, Marnee Selwood, Skippy Marris, David Worthy, Bob Pearmain, Bill Gelling, Harold Robinson, and Jean and Jack Easter.

Mrs. Charles A. Banks, wife of the Lieutenant-Governor of British Columbia, was hostess at luncheon at Government House Friday when covers were laid for 26. Mrs. Banks also entertained last Wednesday with a special luncheon for 18 guests.

Miss Alice Ravenhill will celebrate her 88th birthday on Monday at her residence, 857 McClure Street. Miss Ravenhill will be remembered as a distinguished educationalist and former lecturer at London University on health and welfare matters. She was formerly very active in Women's Institute work on Vancouver and is founder of the B.C. Indian Arts and Craft Society of which she is still president emerita. Miss Ravenhill is also an honorary member of the University Women's Club.

Between 70 and 80 members of the evening classes of the Dominion Provincial Re-Make School overflowed the classrooms Thursday evening to honor their teacher, Miss Catherine Cowe, with a surprise party and a presentation of a corsage bouquet of gardenias and violets and a tooled leather wallet containing over \$50 in appreciation of her services and assistance during the past four years. Refreshments were served by members of the classes.

Mr. and Mrs. Ainslie J. Helmcken flew to Vancouver on the noon plane Friday to attend the wedding of Mr. Helmcken's niece, Miss Sheila Watson to Mr. Allyn Laursen, which took place this afternoon at St. Mary's Anglican Church. Other members of the family who went to Vancouver on Friday night's boat for the wedding were Mr. and Mrs. G. B. F. Bullen, Miss Rosemary Bullen, Miss Mary Helmcken, Mr. and Mrs. Michael Jameson, Mrs. Rita McTavish Hughes and Mr. Hamish Bullen.

At the tea hour Friday, Mrs. R. D. Travis, wife of the commanding officer of the Canadian Scottish Regiment, was hostess in honor of Mrs. S. Park, English bride of Lieut. Seymour Park, a recent arrival in Victoria. During the afternoon Master Bruce McFarlane drew in a wagon decorated with the regimental tartan and filled with useful kitchen gifts for the honor guest. The tea table was centred with a lovely arrangement of spring flowers with lighted tapers in rainbow colors. Mrs. S. McDonald presided at the urns. Other guests who numbered 30, were wives of officers of the regiment.

Miss Sheila McNicol, an April bride-elect, was the principal when Mrs. M. Kerslake, Miss J. Nutrie and Miss O. Cosgrove entertained at the home of the former, 1226A Roslyn Road, Friday, with a miscellaneous shower. Corsage bouquets were presented to the honor guest and her mother, Mrs. A. Kerslake. Gifts were concealed beneath a paper skirt of a novel "Judy" composed of a dustmop, broom, oven mitts and other kitchen articles. Guests were Mesdames D. Windwood, W. Nordquist, V. Alm, K. McCoy, M. Macklem, A. Kroeger, B. Johnson, and Misses V. Ovenden, E. Tomalin, J. Wining, K. Doherty, E. Waymark, M. Deane-Freeman, D. Renton, B. J. Matheson, and J. Clarke.

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Gerald D. Wakelin Weds Vancouver Girl

Of much interest in Victoria was the ceremony which took place in Vancouver Friday evening when Henrietta Hermina Borkent became the bride of Gerald Dalbert Wakelin, son of Mrs. E. Wakelin, 1022 Southgate Street and the late P. Wakelin.

Gowned in white satin fashioned with full-court train, the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. H. Borkent of Vancouver entered St. Margaret's Church with her father. A white satin beauty cap held the bride's full-length nylon net veil, embroidered with south-east cord to form lover's knots. Gardenias and pink sweetheart rosebuds formed her bridal bouquet.

Wearing a gown of blue silk crepe with matching beauty cap, maid of honor Miss Lucille Masson carried pink carnations and rosebuds. Little flower girl, Carol Harris, wore a frock of pink nylon, with matching beauty cap, and carried a colonial bouquet.

The groom's brother, Howard Wakelin attended him as best man and ushers were Raymond and Gene Masson. Calla lilies and spring flowers formed a floral setting for the service read by Rev. Barret. "O Perfect Love" was sung by the groom's cousin, Mrs. N. Wright, during the signing of the register.

A four-tier wedding cake was cut by the couple at the reception held at Harmony Hall. Mrs. Borkent and Mrs. Wakelin assisted in receiving guests. An old friend of the bride's family, Charles Willy, proposed the bridal toast.

Following a trip to Seattle, Mr. and Mrs. Wakelin will come to Victoria to make their home.

The bride changed to a cream and brown striped suit with blue accessories, blue floral hat and corsage bouquet of red roses.

Y.P. Societies

St. Mary's—Members of the senior branch of St. Mary's A.Y.P.A. attended the Lenten service by Rev. O. L. Jull, in the church Wednesday evening. Following the service a badminton practice was held in the hall.

St. John Ambulance

St. John Ambulance Brigade No. 65 at headquarters, Thursday at 8. A.O. R. M. Barnes, Cpl. G. Akenhead.

Victoria Nursing Division No. 61, regular meeting at headquarters Monday at 8.

Victoria Cadets No. 61, at 6.30 Monday.

The student division at 7 p.m. Monday. Dr. W. W. Bell will lecture.

Lorne Drum No. 210 at headquarters, Monday at 8. Denton Holmes Nursing Division No. 148 at headquarters, Tuesday at 8. Denton Holmes Cadets No. 148 at 6.30, Tuesday. Oak Bay Cadets No. 176 will not meet Friday as it is Good Friday.

There will be no meeting for A. J. Dallan Nursing Division on Good Friday.

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Community Workers To Hold Banquet

A dinner meeting of the Community Workers' Club of Greater Victoria will be held in the Y.M.C.A. program lounge at 6 on Monday.

The membership in the club has recently increased so that it now represents a comprehensive cross section of the community workers of Victoria. For this reason, the name of Community Workers' Club is now being used instead of Social Workers' Club.

At the dinner meeting, members will outline the work of organizations they represent. Membership includes representation of teachers, social workers, public health nurses and persons connected with D.V.A., the National Employment Service, Salvation Army and other groups interested in the welfare of the community.

Club Calendar

Robert Burns McMicking Chapter, I.O.D.E., regular meeting Tuesday at 8 at headquarters.

Officers' drill team, L.O.B.A., No. 104, practice, Monday at 2. Orange Hall, Courtney Street.

North Group of Oak Bay United Church, Tuesday, 2.45, home of Mrs. J. M. Alexander, 1249 Rockland Avenue. St. Mary's Women's Guild, Oak Bay, annual church service Tuesday, 2.30, followed by regular meeting in parish hall.

St. Martin's-in-the-Field Evening W.A., Tuesday, home of Mrs. J. Bryce, 2966 Orillia Street. monthly meeting Gonzales Chapter, I.O.D.E., Tuesday, 10.30 at headquarters. St. John's Evening Branch W.A., Tuesday.

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Engagements

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The engagement is announced of Joan Margaret, only daughter of Mrs. N. D. Thompson and of the late Capt. Philip S. Thompson, to Ralph Johnston, son of Mr. and Mrs. J. S. Johnston, Invermere, B.C. The wedding will take place on April 25 at 8 p.m. at St. Mary's Church, Oak Bay.

Mr. and Mrs. R. Lamb of Shawigan Lake, announce the engagement of their youngest daughter, Victoria Winnifred, to Robert L. Kennedy, only son of Mr. and Mrs. Ivan S. Day, 3240 Doncaster Drive. The wedding will take place at St. Luke's Church on May 3 at 1 p.m.

Mr. and Mrs. W. Sharp of Winnipeg, Man., wish to announce the engagement of their only daughter, Ellen, to Maurice A. Burey, second son of Mr. and Mrs. C. D. Burey of 555 St. Patrick Street. The wedding will take place May 23 at Victoria.

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Personals

Mrs. F. L. G. Pope with her daughter and son, Felicity and Michael, arrived recently from England to join Air-Comdr. F. L. G. Pope at Sidney.

Hon. W. C. Woodward and Mrs. Woodward are entertaining to-night with a dinner at their Vancouver home, in honor of the ambassador-designate to China, Hon. T. C. Davis and Mrs. Davis.

Miss Minnie Beveridge, president, Victoria Business and Professional Women's Club, with Miss Marjorie Press, first vice-president, Mrs. M. C. Curry, Mrs. Clare Lord, Mrs. Madge Hall, Mrs. Barbara Woodward, Mrs. G. S. Carey, Mrs. Avis Palmason, Misses Helen Cruickshank and Edith Parsell left this morning for Port Angeles where they will be special guests of the Port Angeles Business and Professional Women's Club this week-end.

Honoring Rev. and Mrs. F. W. McKinnon, who left Friday for Vancouver, where Rev. McKinnon has accepted an appointment under the Baptist Board, the Baptist ministers of the city and their wives entertained at dinner Thursday at Cherry Bank Hotel. Gifts were presented to the honor guests on behalf of those assembled who were Rev. and Mrs. G. R. Easter, Rev. and Mrs. W. J. McKay, Rev. and Mrs. C. W. Passey, Rev. and Mrs. G. A. Reynolds, Rev. and Mrs. S. H. Hirtle, Mrs. W. P. Freeman and Rev. J. A. McRae, superintendent of Evangelism, Baptist Union of Western Canada.

A pink and white mock wedding cake held miscellaneous gifts for Miss Margaret Simpson, when Miss Marion Mermod entertained at her home recently in honor of the Easter bride-elect. A corsage bouquet of iris and snapdragons was presented to Miss Simpson, while her mother, Mrs. Harry Simpson received one of pink carnations and violets. Guests were Mesdames H. Whitehead, James Mermod, Joseph Brown, William Billings, and Misses Helen Roberts, Dagmar Fagenburg, Beryl Dean, Lillian Mermod, Marion Black, Lorraine Arnet, June Dunn, Isabel Hayes, Margaret Jardine and Lillian Lewis.

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P.T. Convention

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Final plans for the 25th annual convention of the B.C. Parent-Teacher Federation, to be held in Victoria on April 9, 10, and 11, were made at a meeting of the Victoria Parent-Teacher Council, held in Burnside School Friday evening.

Mrs. Ernest Evans, chairman in charge of arrangements under the sponsorship of the local council, reported on work accomplished, and gave a resume of the proposed program.

Mrs. G. W. Pottinger, first vice-president, was in the chair and it was reported by Mrs. W. Hudson, membership convener that there was now a total membership of 3,213 in the council.

A petition from the Victoria Nursery School to be forwarded to University of British Columbia asking that a model nursery school for veterans' children be established there, was endorsed.

Mrs. J. J. Carney, junior citizen convener, presented Children's Aid Society reasons for the need of a detention home in Greater Victoria. Discussion followed and the meeting decided to endorse the project and to inform the City Council to this effect.

The radio convener, R. E. Lawrence, told members there would be three special programs presented during the provincial convention, featuring convention speakers.

Refreshments were served at the close of the business meeting with Mrs. J. M. McGee, special convener, in charge.

Clubwomen's News

Junior C.W.L.—At the monthly meeting of the Junior Catholic Women's League, Miss Margaret Morry, president, reported on the Catholic Seamen's Club and the number of hours of volunteer work put in in the past month at Prince Robert House. Mrs. Wanda Gill, social service convener reported a quantity of baby clothes given to Children's Aid Society. Plans were made for a bingo party in the parish hall in April to be convoked by Mary Comerford and Clara Krubinski. The junior league will convene a candy stall at the spring fair to be held at St. Ann's Academy in April. Next month the annual meeting and election of officers will take place.

Beta Sigma Phi—At the regular meeting of Zeta Chapter, Beta Sigma Phi, a sorority sister from Fort William, Ont., Dorothy Carr was welcomed by the president, Esther Restall. Annual election of officers was held as follows: President, Louise Michaux; vice-president, Grace Waters; corresponding secretary, Nina McDonald; recording secretary, Phyllis Simpson; council representative, Molly Scott; treasurer, Grace Kirkham. The cultural program was conducted by Jean Fields assisted by Phyllis Simpson, Dorothy Roe, Beth McMillan, Catherine Dash, Doreen Cleator and Dorothy Waller. The next regular meeting will be held on Tuesday.

P.T.A. News

Ward Six — The meeting of Ward Six P.T.A. will be held on Wednesday at 8 in Mt. Newton auditorium. The speaker will be Dr. Henrietta Anderson. Refreshments will be served. A study group will meet at the home of Mrs. B. McNally on Tuesday.

Mt. View—At the regular meeting next Tuesday at 8 in the school auditorium, the Mt. View P.T.A. will witness a dress rehearsal of two plays entered by the school in the drama festival. Plans will be completed for a Mothers' Day tea to be held May 9. A nominating committee will be appointed to present candidates for office to the annual meeting.

Gordon Head—There were 10 members present at a recent meeting of Gordon Head P.T.A. Mrs. N. Fadden presided and the four delegates chosen to attend the provincial convention were Mr. and Mrs. L. Main, Mrs. W. H. Yardley and Mrs. G. L. Anderson. A short business session was held at which a donation of \$75 was donated to purchase books for the school.

Dorothy Dix

Dear Miss Dix: I am a girl of 18 in love with a boy of 20. We would like to get married, but the thing that is stopping us is that the boy is going to school, since he is a veteran. In two years he will only be a junior in college and he will still be going to school. We plan to live with my mother, but I am afraid it wouldn't work out. Would you advise us to wait a few years until we can afford our own home?

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"Waltz Into Darkness" by Wil-
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of a woman who as her character
develops, is disliked more and
more by the reader.

The story has suspense. At
times it is possible to foresee the
action, but the real turn of events
will elude the reader until it is
unfolded. The salvation of char-
acter at the end does not entirely
wash out the nausea produced in
the story.

The narrative, however, holds
interest to its final page.

REFORMS NEEDED

"Everyman's Guide to Canada's
Parliament" by George Hamble-
ton. (World Affairs).

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ences, makes that point in his
62-page booklet. "Everyman's
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As a concise yet bright com-
mentary of the broad picture of
parliament, it should answer the
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visitors to Ottawa and many
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from Ottawa. It describes the
functions of parliament, its
origins, the sometimes vague
terms, the place of committees,
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by the press and many other
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Mr. Hambleton, comparing
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tions of parliamentary indepen-
dence more emphatic."

Westminster's daily question
hour was a battle of wits stirred
by questions and more questions.
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limited to one rigid question to a
member, was "insipidly routine"
by comparison.

Ottawa debates were "too long
and too dull." Westminster de-
bates were shorter, livelier, more
to the point.

The writer deals somewhat
sharply with an electoral system
which in the last general elec-
tion (1945) allowed the Liberals
to get just 41 per cent of the
total vote but 52 per cent of the
members. He cites facts and
figures to prove that worse an-
omalies have occurred, to show
that 129 of the 245 members of
the House elected in 1945 were
elected on a minority vote.

Book Notes

"Cross Section 1947", published
by Simon and Schuster is the
third volume in the annual series
devoted to new American writ-
ing. It is edited by Edwin Seaver,
and as in previous volumes, the
majority of the contents are by
young writers just coming into
prominence or by unknowns.

Australia's latest novelist, 17-
year-old Catherine Gaskin of
Coogee, has achieved overnight
success with her book "This
Other Eden". She began her first
book, which has already sold out
the first edition, when she was
15 years 8 months old. The girl's
latest effort has been hailed by
critics as an outstanding sophis-
ticated work.

Doomed Man Wants Chance For Life



Dr. Robert Cornish (left), former University of California
scientist who has brought dead dogs back to life, dis-
closed at Berkeley, Calif., that a condemned murderer,
Thomas H. McMonigle (right), had offered his body for
resurrection in experiment. The scientist's request is now
in the hands of the California Department of Corrections;
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The Vancouver Island Rock and Alpine Garden Society annual Spring Flower Show, which was formerly an outstanding feature of the garden year, will be held for the first time since before the war on April 2 and 3 in the Crystal Garden.

There will be exhibits both commercial growers and from amateurs. Many beautiful and rare alpine, dwarf conifers, ferns, rock-garden bulbs, flowering shrubs, native alpine, wood-

Uncle Ray

**COCKFIGHTING WAS
POPULAR SPORT
AMONG ANCIENT ROMANS**

Three men in India wanted to catch jungle fowls. They went to a part of the jungle, and drove two stakes in the ground, about 100 feet apart. A heavy cord was laid along the ground and tied to the stakes.

The next step was to fasten horsehair "pooses"—about 50 of them—to the cord. When this was finished, the men parted company and walked to points a few hundred feet away. Then, with sticks, they began to beat the bushes.

Dozens of jungle fowls were

stirred from their hiding places. Some flew to limbs and perched out of reach, but others ran along the ground. Before long, five of them were tangled in the nooses which had been set for them.

HAVE COLORFUL FEATHERS

Jungle fowls are ground birds, with colorful feathers. They dwell in bamboo jungles, thickets and forests of India, Burma, the extreme south of China and the East Indies. They can fly, but do much more running than flying and never soar above the trees.

It is believed that jungle fowls were the parents of most, if not all, of the barnyard fowls which we call chickens. They were caught and tamed in India and China more than 3,000 years ago, and proved of high value because the hens kept on laying eggs which people could use for food.

In the course of trade, tame fowls were taken to Europe where they proved "popular" for cockfighting as well as for egg-laying.

ROMANS LIKED COCKFIGHTING

Ancient Romans were fond of bloodthirsty sports and it is little wonder that cockfighting was popular with them. They fitted "gamecocks" with sharp metal spurs, and set them together. Pictures of cockfights have been found amid the ruins of Pompeii and other old Roman cities.

Game cocks were taken to Great Britain by Roman soldiers and the breed was kept there through the centuries. During the reign of King Edward III, a law was made against cockfighting, but at a later time Henry VIII ordered a cockpit to be built at his Whitehall palace. Charles II took such interest in the sport that he caused horse races to be postponed until he could see the end of a series of fights.

FOUGHT IN GROUPS

One form of cockfighting was known as the "battle royal." Six or eight gamecocks were placed in a pit at the same time, and in a moment they would start fighting. It made little difference which fought which—the

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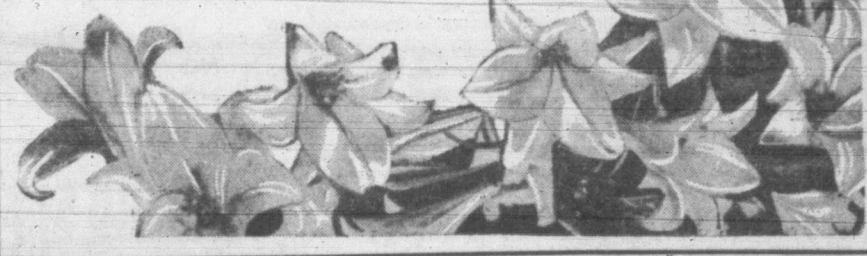
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'Judgment' Fund To Protect Auto Accident Claimants

Legislation to provide British Columbia with an automobile safety responsibility plan similar to that in use in Manitoba was introduced in the B.C. Legislature Friday by Attorney-General Gordon S. Wismer.

The legislation, introduced as a bill to amend the Motor Vehicle Act, also provides for an unsatisfied judgment fund, to which car owners will contribute up to \$1 per year. The sections of the bill dealing with the safety responsibility plan and the unsatisfied judgment fund will not come into effect until they have

been proclaimed by the Lieutenant-Governor-in-Council.

The proposed legislation provides for the superintendent of motor-vehicles to prohibit a driver from driving and suspend his auto license if he is involved in an accident in which death, injury or property damage of \$25 or more takes place until damage claims resulting from the accident have been settled and proof of financial responsibility of the driver has been produced.

If, however, the driver, whose license or registration is subject to suspension produced an automobile liability insurance card or a financial responsibility card, the suspension will not be effected.

The proof of financial responsibility required is to the extent of \$5,000 for loss or damage resulting from bodily injury to or the death of any one person in one accident; \$10,000 for more than one person, and \$1,000 property damage.

The unsatisfied judgment fund will be used to pay a person who obtained in court judgment for an amount exceeding \$100 in an action for damages resulting

from bodily injury or death after Feb. 1, 1948, which the judgment debtor is unable to pay.

Provision is made that if the total amount of the fund exceeds \$250,000 the Lieutenant-Governor-in-Council may suspend the requirement for payment of the fee, and reimpose the fee if the fund falls below \$150,000.

The fee itself will be fixed by the Lieutenant-Governor-in-Council but may not exceed \$1 per car owner.

To Help Prospectors

A Petroleum and Natural Gas Act, designed to encourage development of petroleum and natural gas resources in B.C., was introduced by Lands and Forests Minister E. T. Kenney in the B.C. Legislature Friday.

The act sets out provisions for permits to prospect, licenses to drill and leases to produce both petroleum and natural gas. Provisions are also made for refunding of rentals during the first year of prospecting or drilling.

The act would also permit an operator to group adjacent licenses or leases held, not exceeding eight in number, but licenses would not be allowed to be grouped with leases.

In the case of licenses and

Legislature Discusses Plans For Temperance Education

British Columbia's proposed educational program in the proper use of alcohol requires a young physician with the vision for public service and the quality to get tough if necessary which Dr. D. Williams, former director of venereal disease control in British Columbia, displayed, Education Minister G. M. Weir said Friday.

In the same debate, on second reading of proposed amendments to the Government Liquor Act, Attorney-General Gordon S. Wismer, said it was hoped the provisions in the bill would improve the standards of beer parlors throughout the province.

Dr. Weir said the problem of temperance education would be more difficult than that of venereal disease control and would be aimed largely at junior and senior high schools but would extend into all phases of community life.

Herbert Gargrave, C.C.F., Mackenzie, adjourned the debate. Dr. Weir said he knew of two or three men in Canada who could qualify for the position and he believed it possible he could locate such a man in British Columbia.

Inclusion of a new division of the school curriculum, to be known as personal living, was planned, Dr. Weir said, and temperance education would be included in this section.

Dr. Weir indicated visual education would be widely used in the government's temperance program.

Mr. Wismer said liquor was one of the most contentious problems which could be faced by any legislature.

While he had received repre-

sentations from some favoring cocktail bars in selected hotels, this had been opposed by others unless it was extended to all hotels, and this in turn was opposed by a vociferous group which claimed restaurants should receive the same privileges that hotels did. Others had demanded beer and wine with meals in all dining-rooms.

"It is noteworthy that although there has been much publicity over many months, beyond a few editorial comments there has been no vocal expression of opinion by the public generally in favor of any of these plans," Mr. Wismer said, adding that he had been inundated with resolutions, letters and telegrams from large and influential groups, protesting against any change which would make liquor easier to get.

Mr. Wismer said he was absolutely opposed at this time to the introduction of a wide-spread system of sale by the glass and he was utterly opposed to the sale of beer and wine in restaurants.

"When I am striving by means of probation and Borstal and education and all the means at my command to reduce juvenile delinquency, I think I would be an utter fool to establish a system which the restaurants themselves don't want and which we could not possibly police," he said.

Mr. Wismer said, however, new beer licenses would be issued to applicants who were willing to provide decent services in beer parlors and provide modern hotel accommodation for tourists. He indicated licenses would be available only to new hotels.

C.C.F. Doubtful Of Forest Yield Policy

British Columbia's proposed sustained yield forest legislation will, in effect, result in turning over the logging industry to the few huge corporations that already control a large part of the industry, Herbert Gargrave, C.C.F., Mackenzie, contended in the B.C. Legislature Friday.

The proposed legislation, contained in amendments to the Forest Act, went through second reading.

John McInnis, C.C.F., Fort George, went a step further than Mr. Gargrave, expressing fears that the government's program would foster international cartel control of logging in this province.

Despite his fears of monopoly control of the forest industry, Mr. Gargrave said the C.C.F. Opposition did not intend to try an amend or obstruct the passage of the legislation.

Mr. Gargrave advocated greater utilization of waste from forest industries, and contended that 50 per cent of the timber now used in pulp mills could be used for lumber. Questioned by Lands and Forests Minister E. T. Kenney, Mr. Gargrave admitted this was just a guess the result of his own observations.

Mr. McInnis, like Mr. Gargrave and Opposition Leader Harold E. Winch, developed arguments for nationalization of the forest industry.

Financial Check On Benefit Societies

Attorney-General Gordon S. Wismer assured the B.C. Legislature Friday there was no desire on his part to put out of business those death benefit societies trying to do their business legitimately.

He warned, however, that it was the intention of the government to prevent the formation of new societies unless they were on an actuarially sound basis. Mr. Wismer said there were 40,000 in British Columbia receiving this type of insurance from societies.

Mr. Wismer's statement followed an appeal by Herbert Gargrave, C.C.F., Mackenzie, who claimed many of these societies were doing a legitimate business providing insurance at lower premiums but with higher risks than other insurance companies.

14 Pirates Put On Trial At Shanghai

SHANGHAI (AP) — Fourteen pirates were charged by a Chinese army tribunal today with seizing billions of Chinese dollars' worth of cargo and killing more than 50 of the crew and passengers of small craft plying between Shanghai and the Yangtze estuary.

The leader, identified as a former army officer, was said to have equipped his men with sub-machine guns and other modern arms. The gang allegedly stole large quantities of medicines, tea, cotton and tung oil.

Ravages Of V.D. Becoming Serious Pearson Tells House

Venereal disease has now reached an all-time high in B.C., Health Minister George S. Pearson told the B.C. Legislature Friday afternoon.

In 1946 there were 6,790 cases of V.D. reported, three times the number of reported tuberculosis cases. The 1946 total was double that of the 1942 total.

Mr. Pearson was discussing the new act for the suppression of V.D. which, he said, was replacing the present act. The ravages of V.D. in B.C. were becoming very serious, he continued. Before the war it was felt some progress was being made in suppression of the diseases, but during the war control slipped badly. The present act has been found to be ineffectual regarding diagnosis, treatment and control of unco-operative infected persons.

There was quite a large number of persons avoiding treatment, the minister continued, and the proposed act clarified the responsibility of the various authorities whose duty it was to deal with the infected persons.

Provision was also made in the proposed act to further safeguard confidential records, he continued. He considered it most important that information regarding V.D. cases be kept confidential and assured the Legislature every effort was being made to do so.

In discussing the 1946 total of reported cases, the minister said 60 per cent of the infected persons reported were male and that hotels and rooming houses had been found to be the most common sources of infection.

GREATER KNOWLEDGE

The bill would also provide for giving the public a greater knowledge and understanding of V.D.

To emphasize the increasing seriousness of V.D. in B.C. the minister told the house that the U.S. army V.D. control service had become so concerned with the number of cases of V.D. contracted in Vancouver by U.S. army personnel that it had sent officials to the city to investigate. The only reason the city was not placed out of bounds to U.S. troops was that the police had promised a good measure of control over possible sources of infection, Mr. Pearson said.

E. E. Winch, C.C.F., Burnaby, liked the measures provided by the proposed bill but also wanted to see incorporated in it a section demanding pre-marital examination. A 1938 committee had recommended this, he said, and the provincial statutes contained provisions for requiring pre-marital examination but the provisions had never been enforced, he said.

No action had been taken regarding routine blood tests, he added, although some hospitals made the routine blood tests voluntarily. He wanted all hospitals, both public and private, to be required to make the tests.

Reject Change On Appeals By Teachers

The B.C. Legislature Friday saw the unusual situation of the C.C.F. Opposition voting with the government against an amendment proposed by a private government member.

C. W. Morrow, Coalition, North Okanagan, had proposed an amendment to the bill to amend the Public Schools Act which would provide for appeals of ratepayers to go not to the Lieutenant-Governor-in-Council but to the courts.

When the amendment came up for vote during committee of the whole, Mr. Morrow asked for a standing vote and won the support of several government members. But the C.C.F. as a block and the remainder of the government joined to snuff under the amendment.

Mr. Morrow contended it was a "dangerous policy to restrict any ratepayers' rights to go to the courts." He contended the Lieutenant-Governor-in-Council, even if the amendment were approved, would have to sanction an appeal to the courts.

Education Minister G. M. Weir said the Lieutenant-Governor-in-Council was responsible for the administration of the school act and permitting appeals to the courts would only bring long delays. The courts, he contended, just like the council could make mistakes.

A. R. MacDougall, Coalition, Vancouver-Point Grey, himself a lawyer like Mr. Morrow, said he was definitely in favor of the amendment.

"I think it is a vicious thing. I am opposed to the bureaucratic tenor of this act," he said.

The amending bill, which provides for automatic registration of teachers in the B.C. Teachers' Federation, went through third reading.



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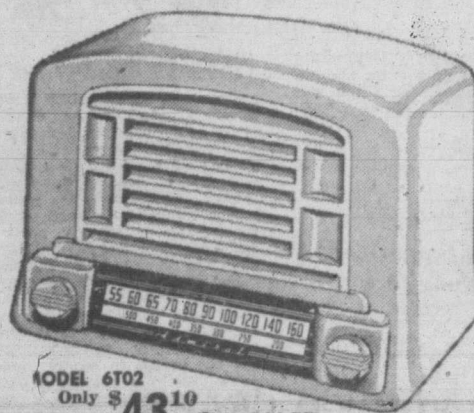
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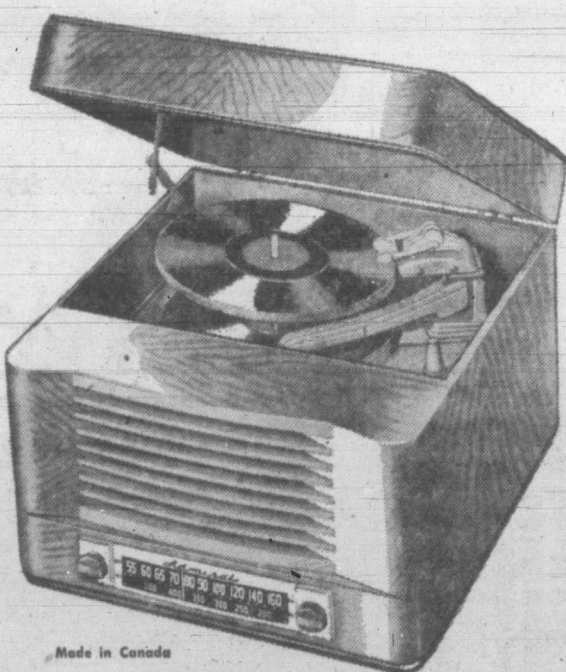
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Mrs. Daphne Scott, Committee Treasurer, in soft aqua shortee suit with lush lynx-tinted fox tuxedo front. Jacket has full, gored back.

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What's New at the Bay HBC

New as the Spring itself are these five choice items we found for our column this week! Talked to the Easter Bunny about them, too... he thought they'd make wonderful surprises for gifts on Easter Morn! By the way... have you brought the kiddies in to see the Bunny yet? They'll love him, with his long ears and Easter coloring.



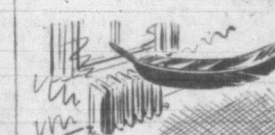
Magic Squares...

New, new rayon crepe 27-inch square scarfs that will prove a magic touch to your wardrobe. Twist them, twirl them, saah them, drape them to your hearts content... for the idea supreme see our samples of them made up into exquisite blouses. It takes two if you want back and front to be the same... but if you're economically minded use plain material for the back... it looks just as smart. Brilliant florals and multi-colored Paisleys form a gay note for spring! 2.98 in our Neckwear, Street Floor.



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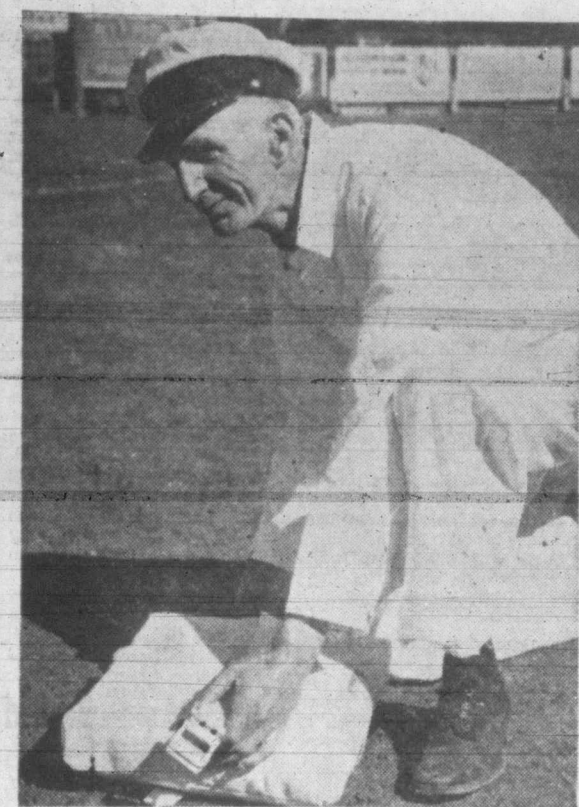
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Prepares For Baseball Opener



SLIM HUNT... sets new bag.

With the Victoria Athletics scheduled to play their first home game at Athletic Park three weeks Monday against Yakima, Hunt is a busy fellow getting the home diamond into condition. The infield and base paths are being rolled daily and when the umpires call "Play ball" the local pasture will be in tip-top shape. Down at Boyes Springs, California, the Athletics opened their spring training camp today. Close to 30 ball players went through their paces under the watchful eye of Manager Ted Norbert. The team will break camp three days before they open the season at Wenatchee April 18.

Sir James Douglas, Vic High Champions

With a record entry list of over 300 of the top young swimmers of the city competing, titles in the 22nd annual Greater Victoria Schools Swimming Gala held at the Crystal Garden last night were captured by Sir James Douglas and Victoria High School.

Staged under the auspices of the Victoria Amateur Swimming Club, the gala was described by director Jim McCague as the most successful ever held, and the efforts of the youthful splash artists drew well merited plaudits from the large crowd.

Sir James Douglas, who copped the elementary schools' title and the V.A.S.C. trophy for aggregate honors among the 17 schools competing, edged out Lempson Street School by the narrow margin of 20 points to 16. South Park finished in third place with 14.

In the senior division Victoria High proved too strong for other high schools and walked off with aggregate honors and the Sir Edward Beatty Cup, with a total of 31 points. Oak Bay took runner-up honors with 17 points with Central Junior High third and Mount View fourth.

The triumphant Sir James Douglas natators also annexed the Canadian Legion Cup for the winning boys' relay team, while South Park captured the Pen-

dray Cup for the girls' relay. Individual winners of events received medals.

50 yards freestyle, boys under 12-1, Stanley Hatten, Quadra; 2, Merin Hatten; 3, Gordon Carter, Sir James Douglas.

50 yards freestyle, girls under 12-1, Valerie Speed, South Park; 2, Gay Penn, Craigflower; 3, Ann Heywood, Sir James Douglas.

50 yards freestyle, boys up to Grade 8, under 12-1, Ray Jubb, Sir James Douglas; 2, B. Abbott, Sir James Douglas; 3, Keith Bertrand, Lempson.

50 yards freestyle, girls up to Grade 8, under 12-1, Jeanne McKay, Oakland; 2, Carol Graham, South Park; 3, Ester Hansen, Vic West.

50 yards freestyle, boys up to Grade 8, under 12-1, Margaret Ward, South Park; 2, Betty Constable, Vic West; 3, Norma Jacobson, Tillicum.

50 yards freestyle, girls in Grades 9 to 12, under 12-1, Diana Nixon, Vic High; 2, Joan Edwards, Mount View High; 3, Rhonda Collier, Central Junior High.

50 yards freestyle, boys in Grades 9 to 12, under 12-1, Bill Pater, Oak Bay High; 2, Jack Wellborn, Mount View High; 3, M. Dickson, Vic High.

50 yards freestyle, girls in Grades 9 to 12, under 12-1, Eileen Smyth, Vic High; 2, Jean Milk, Vic High; 3, Lorna Lee, Vic High.

200 yards relay, boys, Grades 1 to 6-1, Sir James Douglas; 2, Lempson; 3, Quadra.

200 yards, girls' relay, Grades 1 to 6-1, Lempson; 2, North Ward.

200 yards boys' relay, Grades 7 to 8, Canadian Legion Cup-1, Sir James Douglas; 2, Tillicum; 3, Lempson.

200 yards girls' relay, Grades 7 and 8, Penray Cup-1, South Park; 2, Oakland; 3, Vic West.

200 yards boys' relay, Grade 9-12, Central High; 2, Victoria High; 3, Oak Bay High.

200 yards girls' relay, Grade 9-12, Central High; 2, Oak Bay High; 3, Victoria High.

200 yards boys' relay, Grade 10 and up, Victoria High; 2, Oak Bay High.

Barbara Scott Holds Big Lead In Skating Meet

OTTAWA (CP)—The North American figure skating crown appeared to be remaining firmly on the head of its present possessor today as world champion Barbara Ann Scott of Ottawa held a decisive lead of 125.9 points at the end of the women's compulsory school figures.

With 60 per cent of the women's competitions completed, Miss Scott had accumulated 1662.6 points and her nearest competitor, dark-eyed Janette Ahrens of St. Paul, Minn., 1,536.7. Third in line was tall, graceful Yvonne Claire Sherman of New York with 1,501.4.

Only other event to take place late yesterday, was the initial elimination for the dance crown, first to be offered at a North American meet.

Finalists who will compete tonight, all of them United States Figure Skating Association entries, are Lois Waring and Walter Bainbridge of the Baltimore and Washington Club, Marcella May Willis and Frank Davenport, St. Moritz Club of Berkeley, Calif., Anne Davies and Carl Hoffner, Washington, and Renee Stein and Sidney Moore, Los Angeles.

Men's compulsory figures got under way early today, and to-night male and female singles' free-skating, dance finals and pairs competitions will complete the championship meet. Winners will receive their awards from Viscount Alexander, the Governor-General.

Other competitors at the end of the compulsory figures scored as follows: Suzanne Morrow, Toronto, 1485.9; Miss Take, 1477.0; Shirley Irene Lander, Seattle, Wash., 1435.9; Eileen Seigh, Brooklyn, N.Y., 1386.9.

California Cagers Win Over Varsity

VANCOUVER (CP)—University of California Bears—beat University of British Columbia Thunderbirds 64 to 50 in the first game of a two-game exhibition basketball series here Friday night.

California's shooting paid off in the last two quarters with Andy Wolfe leading the way with eight points.

High scorers of the game were Pat McGeer of the Thunderbirds and Andy Wolfe of the Bears with 20 points each. Following the leaders was Bob Haas of the Thunderbirds with 18.

Youthful Sportsmen Receive Training

Bob Richardson, executive member of the Vancouver Island Rifle and Gun Club, reports that the club's junior program held each Sunday is progressing well.

With Bill Lucas, Sonny Poirier, Jack White, Alex Murray, Cec Burgess and F. B. Richardson, lending their whole-hearted support, Richardson reports that many youngsters are being transported to the school Sunday mornings for training in handling of firearms and talks on safety in the woods.

Provincial Junior Rugby Final Canceled

Due to the fact that a number of the Vancouver players are taking part in Easter examinations, today's scheduled provincial junior rugby final between Vancouver Vindex and Victoria Ripples was canceled, rugby officials announced last night.

It is expected that each team will hold the Archie Gibbs' trophy for six months. Vancouver won the first game of the series 8 to 3.

All-Star Hockey Team Named In Liberty Magazine

Hockey fans in Victoria may now read the names of the players chosen for the All-Star 1947 Hockey Team. Judges were Syl Apps, Toe Blake, Bobby Bauer, Neil Colville, Syd Abel, Red Hamill and Foster Hewitt. A second team was also selected.

Pictures and stories of the players and information on the voting is also carried in the April 5 edition of Liberty magazine now on sale at your magazine dealers. The six favorites are: Goal, Durnan; defence, Stewart and Bouchard; centre, Schmidt; left wing, Bentley; right wing, Richard.

Liberty magazine is distributed on Vancouver Island by Lovick's News Agency, Victoria, B.C.

Irish-Owned Caughoo Wins Grand National

AINTREE, Eng. (AP)—Caughoo won the 104th running of the Grand National steeplechase today. Lough Conn was second, Kami was third as the favored Prince Regent finished fourth—out of the money.

Caughoo is an eight-year-old Irish horse and was listed as a rank outsider at 100 to 1 in the overnight odds. He is owned by J. J. McDowell of Ireland and was ridden by E. Dempsey. He was one of the lightweights in the field of 57—largest in 18 years—under 140 pounds.

Caughoo won by 26 lengths. He did not receive a call all the way on the two swings around the four-mile, 856-yard course, and came out of the clouds to overhaul the leaders. Lough Conn had led most of the way.

BIG ATTENDANCE

Last year's winner, Lovely Cottage, had been a last-minute scratch because of the heavy frothing. It was raining throughout the race, but despite the weather, a crowd expected to hit the 250,000 mark was on hand.

Among the leaders, only Caughoo was a rank outsider. Lough Conn had been a 39 to 1 choice in the overnight odds, with the French-bred Kami at 50 and Prince Regent at 8 to 1.

Caughoo is a son of Within-The-Law, out of Silverdale.

Caughoo was the first 100 to 1 shot to win the ancient classic since Greghach won in 1929.

Three of the first four—all but Kami—are Irish horses.

Caughoo's victory was the second major upset in the young British racing season. Jockey Treble, a 100 to 1 shot, won the Lincolnshire mile, over Lincoln's flat course, Wednesday.

The time was 10 minutes, 31.15 seconds—slowest in 57 years.

Ticket holders on Caughoo and Jockey Treble in the annual "spring betting double" won £8,899 10 shillings (\$35,598) on each two-shilling (40 cents) bet. The lone American hope in the race, Refugi, owned by Mrs. Frank Adams of Middleburg, Va., and ridden by her son, Frank Jr., finished seventh.

Only 21 of the 57 starters—largest field in 18 years—finished the course. Back of the four leaders, in order, were: 5th, Some Chickens; 6th, Housewarming, who was fourth a year ago; 7th, Refugi; 8th, Kilnagorry; 9th, Clydurf; 10th, Ocultor; 11th, Halcyon Hours; 12th, Brick Bat; 13th, Schubert, who was 5th last year; 14th, Leap Man; 15th, Brighter Sandy; 16th, Reamant; 17th, Toyette; 18th, Jubilee Flight; 19th, Martin M.; 20th, Gormanstown; 21st, Tulyra.

COLEMAN CHAMPS

VERNON (CP)—Coleman Grands, making every break count, captured the Edmonton Journal Trophy, emblematic of western Canada intermediate hockey supremacy with a 5 to 2 victory over Notre Dame Hounds before 3,000 fans here last night.

It was the third straight win for the Alberta puckchaser, who came back from the brink of elimination to win the title after dropping the first two games of the best-of-five series to the Wilcox, Sask., collegians.

Detroit Alters Team For Tonight's Playoff Hockey

TORONTO (CP)—One game up, Toronto Maple Leafs could afford to play it pat for tonight's second game of their Stanley Cup semifinal with Detroit Red Wings, who indicated they will throw a slightly shuffled line-up into the fray.

Coach Hap Day said the same 16 who nipped the Wings 3 to 2 in overtime in the first game of their best-of-seven National Hockey League playoff would try again. "There's no use changing a winning combination."

Detroit's Jack Adams, from the conclusion of his hotel suite, announced through communiques issued by publicist Fred Huber, that there will be one or two changes.

Cliff Simpson, a high-scoring centre recalled when Indianapolis Capitals dropped from the American Hockey League playoff hunt, will dress. The Wings fifth defenceman, young Al Dewsbury, will be benched.

Jimmy McFadden was recalled from Buffalo by Detroit last night. It's undecided whether the 27-year-old forward from Winnipeg will play, however.

Two doubtful starters among Detroit's regulars are Gerry Couture, who suffered an injured hand, and rookie Gord Howe, whose knee and ankle are slightly cramped. Fern Gauthier will likely replace Howe at centre.

The only change in the Toronto line-up may be wrought if rookie rearguard, Garth Bosch, still bothered with a groin injury, is unable to make it. Wally Stan-

Table Tennis Stars Beaten At Chicago

Victoria table tennis stars entered in the United States national championships, which opened at Chicago last night, suffered defeat in singles play.

Ruth Payne lost in the women's event to Carolyn Blank, Wisconsin champion, 21-18, 21-14, 21-18, while her sister Joy was eliminated by Madge Elouther 21-17, 21-14, 21-14.

In men's singles Allen Levy, top ranking junior star, won over Will Browne-Cave, 21-18, 21-16, 21-18, while Al Wells lost to Culp, Indiana State champion, 21-19, 21-16, 21-15.

C. E. After Heads Local Tennis Club

At the annual meeting of the Gonzales Tennis Club, held recently, election of officers took place and plans for the season were discussed.

C. E. Atter was elected president for the ensuing year with G. N. Worsley named vice-president; C. G. Bateman, secretary-treasurer, and A. J. Carter, A. L. McLean and S. Holmes appointed to the committee.

Play will commence on May 3 and officials are hopeful of another successful season.

Kamloops Cagers Whip Port Alberni

KAMLOOPS (CP)—Breaking through the Port Alberni Athletics' defence in the final quarter, Kamloops Kilowatts Friday night won the first game of a two-game total point series for the British Columbia senior "B" basketball crown, 57 to 46.

The second game scheduled to night. If Kilowatts take the series it will be first time in 21 years a senior "B" crown has come to Kamloops.

The two squads were neck-and-neck throughout middle frames, neither ever getting more than a four-point advantage. In the closing minutes Kamloops broke defence to forge 11 points ahead.

Pearson starred for Alberni, garnering 22 points until forced to retire in the dying minutes with an ankle injury. Sandy Hay was chief Kamloops marksman with 18, while Art (Lefty) Barton and Austin Webster, former coast stars, tallied 12 points each.

Sports Mirror

By PETE SALLAWAY

IN comparison to 1946, when the Canadian senior men's championship and numerous British Columbia titles were captured by hoop teams of the city, Victoria basketball quintettes fared poorly in the post-season playdowns of the season just ended. Shorn of much of their power by the inroads of pro basketball, the Dominion champion Dominos were knocked out of competition early, being defeated by a scrappy Canadian Legion, who in turn dropped the B.C. title to Vancouver Merlons in three straight games. Legion, who last season won the senior B title, did not defend their title and the local champion Brentwood Aces were bounced out in the first round of the island playoffs. Victoria College, the senior C titlists, also were defeated in island playdowns.

VICTORIA took the intermediate B boys title last season, with Eagles representing the city, but the island champion Tillicums bowed to Vancouver Ryerson in a sudden-death coast final this year. Eagles, who moved up to the under 21 class, were whipped by Varsity in a two-game series played recently, while Oak Bay juniors, city champions, lost out in the lower island finals. Canadian Legion midgets brought back a little glory to the city when they won the B.C. title without suffering a single defeat. This championship was the only one to come to Victoria in the men's and boys' divisions.

FAIR SEX cagers held up their end of the bargain, winning two of the three provincial titles in which they participated. Eaglettes repeated their success of last season when they captured the intermediate B championship by taking the intermediate A bauble this season. Bob Whyte's Hot Shots captured the provincial junior girls' crown. Hudson's Bay, after holding the Canadian champion Nut House quintette in the first game of their senior A series, folded in the second tussle and passed out of the picture.

IN the English rugby field, Varsity Thunderbirds stole all the thunder from the local fifteen as they romped through the mainland and McKechnie Cup series to capture all four major trophies up for competition. J.B.A.A., who were defending the Rounsefell Cup, received the worst thumping from the students in the last contest of the season.

This was unfortunate, as the Eays were riddled with injuries at the time and were a much better team on season's play than the score of the game indicated. The Crimson Tide turned in two smart games in losing to Varsity, but lost their edge in the Vancouver games and finished on the bottom of the heap. Last season all three teams had tied for the trophy, with Varsity retaining possession. The intermediate trophy was also captured by a Vancouver fifteen, the local Victoria College side suffering the defeat.

SPRING is here, so let's forget about the past and see what our baseball, softball, lacrosse, tennis, badminton and other spring and summer athletic teams and individuals can accomplish in regaining some of our lost prestige. I almost forgot our Victoria United Soccer team who seem to be doing fairly well for themselves in the Pacific Coast League at present, being undefeated in second half play and atop the league standings.

Fish-Game Meeting

The regular monthly meeting of the Victoria Fish and Game Protective Association will be held Tuesday night at 8 in the Boilermakers' Hall, Government Street. Several reels of moving pictures will be shown.

BASEBALL PRACTICE

Eagles baseball team will hold a practice at Macdonald Park on Sunday at 2.30. All players interested are asked to turn out.

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Bowling Squads Set For Title Playoffs

Though one major and a few minor bowling championships have already been decided at Gibson's Bowldrome, the next three or four weeks should see many more titleholders named as various leagues finish out their season's schedule and winning teams engage in postseason title hunts.

With Sussex Cafe having wrapped up the Commercial Tenpin League crown this week, tenpin followers now turn their attention to Gibson's senior loop which still has three weeks to go. Watson's Men's Wear, barring an unforeseen calamity, should walk off with the second half crown as they top their nearest rivals, Gyros by eight games. The race for second and a playoff spot is close, however, as Veterans of France and Dickson's only trail the service club by one game.

Teams of the Commercial Five-League are closely bunched as they enter the final week of their third round of play with the top three slated to enter the playoff bracket. Liberty Cafe lead with 16 wins, followed by Quality Meat with 15, and Home Cafe with 14. Eagles and Tyros are tied for fourth one game behind Home Cafe and could easily make the select three with a clean sweep of their remaining games.

Happy Gang captured the third round title of the Bowldrome Mixed Tenpin Loop this week and will now meet Rangers and Bowldrome, other first place finishers in a three-game total pin series for the championship.

Jokers annexed the McLennan, McFeely and Prior trophy this week as they took top honors in the Dockyard League. In the civil loop Gremlins finished atop the standings to cop the league title. Champions of the Weston Bakery Flypin League are Rings who edged out Layers by the narrow margin of four pins in a three-game total pins playoff stint.

CLOSE RACE

Teams of the Hudson's Bay league are in quite a spirited battle for their postseason playoff spots as the season nears its conclusion. Bears top one section of the loop with 14 victories with Cougars one game behind and Chipmonks and Muskrats two games back of the leaders. Seals lead the second section with 16 wins but are being pressed by the second and third place Minks and Beavers.

Sets of the B.C. Telephone league took second-half honors, but it has not been decided how many teams will take part in the playoffs. Silver Spring with an 18 and 3 record are well out in front of the Financial Flypin League and seem a certainty to cop the second round which has two weeks to go.

In the Bowldrome Mixed Five-pin League Loughridge Fuel hold a three-game margin over the second-place Atlas Coffee Shop team, while Dynamites head Spencer's loop with a one-game edge over C.O.D.'s. Team No. 3 captured the second-half title of the Rotary and Kiwanis League from unit No. 4 besting the runner-up five by three games.

BASEBALL MEETING

Victoria Baseball Association will hold a meeting tomorrow at 10 in the Eagles Home, Tommy Restell, secretary, announced today.

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Riddle has owned Big Red since he was a yearling, having bought him for \$5,000 from the late August Belmont.

California Bears Hold Thunderbirds To Rugby Deadlock

VANCOUVER (CP)—The University of California Golden Bears Friday held the University of British Columbia Thunderbirds to a 3 to 3 draw in the third game of a four-game total point rugger series for the World Cup.

In the previous two contests of the competition resurrected this year, Bears lifted the first tilt, 24 to 21, and the Birds took a 20 to 8 call in the second joust.

The Thunderbirds drew first blood midway through the first half when Johnny Walker picked the ball from a set scrum and nipped it to George Biddle who churned across the line for the first try of the game.

After pushing through to the U.B.C. payoff section four times without any success, the Bears edged into the scoring column and tied the game on a penalty kick by Hank Wright.

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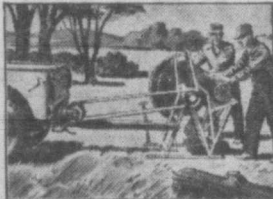


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By ROY THORSEN
Saanich Inlet was the centre of angling attraction this week. The fine weather drew out scores of rodmen, some to try their hand with the rod for the first time this year and found fish plentiful. During the last six days limit catches of 20 to a boat containing more than one angler and 10 for solo fishermen were plentiful.

The week's baskets included the small-size grilse, the larger variety that get the title of "blue-back," and small salmon, otherwise known as jacksprings.

Centreways between the Whittaker's point turn and the Goldstream end were the waters producing good fishing. The fish showed an appetite for a wide variety of lures, the bigger grilse and jacks being taken fairly deep. Ed Duffin, with his angling partner Ralph Day, was able to show a combined catch of 19 large-size grilse Thursday fishing from the Whittaker's to McKenzle Bay. They were using No. 3 Superior spoons, 250 feet of line and 14 ounces of weight. Spinner and worm, Tom Mack and abalone spoons all scored well.

WEEK'S LATER CATCHES
Some of the other later catches of the week heard about: Harry Earl and brother, two trips 10 fish each time; Ted Haven and partner, 20 Thursday; E. Chester, twice limits of 10; Bruce McGlash, 10 Thursday; J. R. Saunders, 10 Wednesday, eight Thursday; Stan Williams, eight Wednesday; Jimmy Doherty and Joe Broadwell, seven Thursday, and L. J. Adams, seven.

Some Sunday catches: Dan Thomas and George Bridges, two springs and 15 grilse; Roy Smith and Tom Alexander, an inseparable pair of anglers, 20; Alan Pendray, 10; Ivan Day, 10; Tom McMillan; Capt. Crutchley, two salmon, three grilse; Ian May and companions, 20; Ben Gibson, nine grilse; Williams and friend, 19. The trio of Fred McNeil, Ollie Corbett and Bud Kinsmen, total of nine grilse Thursday.

Anglers who do not wish to fall afoul of the law—oh, yes, your being looked over periodically, don't ever doubt it—are advised to clip the following layout setting down an interpretation of regulations—some of which almost require the deciphering services of a first class lawyer—

on the number of rods allowed in a boat and daily limit catches:

LIMITS
Only period of the year where there is a limit on salmon and grilse is from Jan. 1 to May 31, both dates inclusive, and they are:
1. When there are more than one in the boat fishing, the aggregate catch for the entire boat cannot exceed 20 fish per day—not more than 10 of which can be salmon. If unable to get 10 salmon, the limit can be made up with grilse.
2. A lone angler occupying a boat is allowed to catch 10 fish per day—but only five of which can be salmon. If unable to get five salmon, the limit can be made up with grilse.
3. A grilse crease to be a grilse in name on exceeding the weight of three pounds un-dressed. It then becomes a salmon.

NUMBER OF LINES ALLOWED
1. A lone fisherman in a boat can use two rods or lines, at preferred.
2. If there is more than one fisherman fishing from a boat, only one rod or line is allowed for each individual.

THEY GOT THEIR PRIZE

The Lampson Street School brother team of Billy and Don McAmmond, aged 14 and 12, respectively, had had their eyes on a big cod lurking in Esquimalt Harbor waters off Kanak Beach for some time. They had a keen desire to lure him for their supper table. Recently they tripped out to the Gorge, snared a number of herring, went back and set their trap for the big fellow with this bait.



Bill McAmmond, right, and brother, Don... with 30-pound cod.

He took their offering. However, landing him proved to be a two-man job. Billy managed to just about get him out of the water and brother Don's aid was enlisted to complete the capture.

TROUT FISHING

In the trout world, fly fishing since last Saturday on was not lucrative for those employing this method this week. At both

Retired Hospital Officials Receive Gifts



At a tea held Friday afternoon in the reception room of the Jubilee Hospital Nurses' Home, Dr. T. W. Walker, retiring superintendent, and Mrs. Rose Hallis, hospital housekeeper for the past 25 years, were given presents on behalf of the hospital staff. Dr. H. H. Murphy, radiologist, gave Dr. Walker a box compass and searchlight for his boat, while Miss Lena Mitchell, director of nurses, presented Mrs. Hallis with a leather writing case and a cheque. Miss Mitchell also gave Mrs. Walker a corsage and Mrs. Olive G. Slade, of the housekeeping staff, presented Mrs. Hallis with one. Miss Beryl Ferguson, record librarian, and Miss Mitchell poured tea. Pictured above, left to right: Charles Morrison, hospital secretary; Dr. Murphy, Mrs. Hallis, Dr. Walker, Mrs. Walker, Miss Mitchell.

Shawnigan and Cowichan River the north and northeast winds and lower glass of the week definitely put a crimp in the fly fishing. Cowichan River is down to a fine level for fly fishing. Lots of fish in the river, but it wasn't fly-fishing weather. Trollers did best in the long run. Good fly sport in the river should be the order with favorable weather.

Name Judges For April Dog Show

Derek Rayne of Carmel, Calif., will judge the sporting, working terrier, sporting hound groups and best of all breeds in the spring championship show of the Victoria City Kennel Club to be held at the Armories, April 12.

This is the first appointment Rayne has accepted to judge in British Columbia. He has judged many shows in his own state as well as in many other states in the U.S. and is licensed by the American Kennel Club to judge all breeds.

Joseph Caswell of Edmonton will judge the toy and non-sporting groups. He is well known as a judge and fancier and has officiated at most of the prairie shows. He holds a Canadian Kennel Club license to judge all breeds.

The Island Terrier Club which is working jointly on the show are bent upon a record entry in the terrier group and entries from that club will occupy special benches.

Explicit instructions have been received from the Canadian Kennel Club to the effect that under no circumstances may entries be received after April 1. Entry forms may be obtained by phoning E 2336 or from the Pet Shop Show, Douglas Street.

The Junior V.O.N. are sponsoring the show.

Oak Bay, College In Top Grid Clash

Grid games scheduled in the spring Canadian Football League at Macdonald Park Sunday will see all four senior teams in action.

The feature game at 2:30 will pit the league-leading Oak Bay Gobblins against second-place St. Louis College. Oak Bay have so far dominated the league but the college feel that they can turn the trick on the pacesetters.

In the preliminary at 1, Johnnie's Coffee Shop, holders of third place, will clash with the fourth-place Canadian Legion unit.

Cerdan Knocks Out Green In 2nd Round

NEW YORK (AP)—European middleweight champion Marcel Cerdan, who showed only his boxing skill in his North American bow last December, uncovered his heavy artillery Friday night and knocked out Harold Green of Brooklyn in the second round of a 10-rounder in Madison Square Garden. Cerdan weighed 159½; Green 156½.

With the greatest Garden crowd in a year on hand for his second American start, the one-time French sailor from Algeria caught up with the rugged Brooklyn belter midway of the second round and put him away for the full count at 2:19.

TURNER MEETS OLIVERA

SPOKANE (AP)—Promoter Orlen Gross announced Thursday that Tony Olivera, one-time contender for the world bantam-weight championship, and Jackie Turner, Vancouver, B.C., fighter, will headline a boxing card here April 17.

The two have met twice before, Olivera winning the first at Spokane and Turner gaining a draw in the second at Vancouver.

S. Hicks Elected Tennis Club Head

S. Hicks was elected president of the Hillcrest Tennis Club at the recent annual meeting. E. Clarke is vice-president with Miss L. Northam as secretary-treasurer. The executive includes: Mrs. Ball, D. McCormick, A. LeMarquand, V. Hicks and T. Warder. Dr. Arthur Poyntz was elected honorary president.

It is planned to open the courts on Lyall Street during the Easter week-end.

Racing Results

SAN BRUNO, Cal.—Horse racing results at Tanforan Friday follow:

First race—
Joe of Bay... \$13.80 \$5.30 \$5.00
Toreador... 8.00 6.70
Barneyway... 14.00
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Second race—
Dr. Rush... \$11.30 \$6.00 \$4.40
Railroader... 6.80 4.30
Valiant Prince... 4.50

Scratched: River Crossing, My All, Winshire Lass, Marmac, Nisi Prio.

Third race—
Petta Latta... \$8.70 \$5.30 \$3.50
Olenhead... 8.80 5.50
Lashburne... 3.40

Scratched: Carson West, Topgun, Mio Lady, Dear Pal.

Fourth race—
Sally Meadie... \$5.00 \$3.80 \$3.20
Monolian... 4.10 2.60
Via Over... 20.50

Scratched: Jack Oldham, Reaults, Glenock, Sun Taira.

Fifth race—
Panther Heels... \$10.50 \$5.80 \$3.40
Bumpy Bump... 4.20 2.10
Shasta Turban... 4.20

Scratched: Eno Sun, V. Max, Pea Soup, Boston Maid.

Sixth race—
Mantellie... \$11.50 \$6.00 \$2.90
Freedom Ring... 3.70 2.70
Court Toubie... 3.10

Scratched: Patch Up.

Seventh race—
Olephant... \$15.00 \$5.80 \$2.60
Jetta... 6.90 2.30
Harmone... 2.30

Scratched: None.

Eighth race—
Blue Pennant... \$4.40 \$2.40 \$2.50
Count Zemar... 4.10 3.30
Maltese Flag... 4.60

Scratched: Cretol, Darby Diam.

Retriever Trials At Parksville April 13

Sponsored by the Qualicum and Parksville Fish and Game Association, the second annual Vancouver Island retriever dog trials will be held at Parksville April 13. Jimmy Washington, president of the association announced today.

Entries for the trials, which

New York Rangers Hold Spring Camp For Ice Rookies

NEW YORK (AP)—Seeking to get a head start for the next National Hockey League season, New York Rangers will open a spring training camp in April at Winnipeg to give 60 to 70 amateur prospects the once-over.

Manager Frank Boucher will supervise the camp aided by the coaches of three Ranger farms, Lynn Patrick of New Haven, Muzz Patrick of St. Paul, Freddy Metcalfe of New York's Rovers, and Ranger captain Neil Colville.

The camp will be open from April 10 to 20. The Rangers always have held rookie tryouts in the fall and this is their first venture, and perhaps the first in the big leagues, in spring trials.

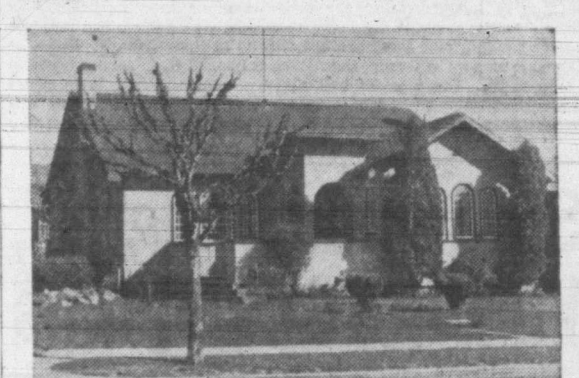
Meanwhile Boucher planned to leave here shortly for a swing around the minor leagues to watch Ranger teams in action in the various playoffs now going on. His own team finished fifth and missed the N.H.L. playoffs.

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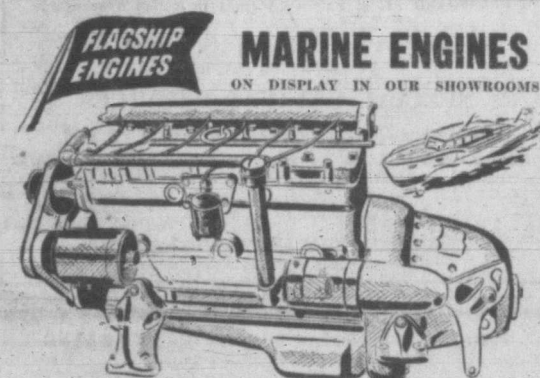
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Brothers Re-united In Victoria After Separation Of 37 Years

In their young days, Andrew J. Ostrem, Box 535, Post Office Victoria, discoverer of one of the world's biggest mercury mines in British Columbia, and Rudolph Ostrem, Burbank, Calif., became separated. The brothers lost track of each other for 37 years and became reunited in Victoria today through Rudolph reading an article about Andrew's famous discovery.

Aged 61 years, Andrew Ostrem in 1939 located the big mercury deposit at Pinchi Lake, in the interior of British Columbia, which is the biggest mine of its kind in the whole of the British Empire and the largest on the North American continent.

An essential mineral for armaments and in the field of science, Mr. Ostrem's discovery proved invaluable to the United Nations in World War II, as previous supplies from Spain, Austria and Italy had been eliminated and the United States production was comparatively small.

Rudolph, aged 56 years, operator of a grocery, meat and vegetable store in Burbank, made contact with his brother again after the separation when his wife, reading a Canadian paper, saw an article dealing with Andrew's discovery.

The article gave post office box number which is Andrew's address in Victoria and Rudolph immediately wired, established written contact, took a plane and within two days of first seeing the article was shaking hands with the 10-year Victoria resident.

The two brothers will fly to California, leaving Tuesday.

Presentation At Annual Banquet Of St. John Ambulance

One hundred and fifty men and women attended the fourth annual banquet of Victoria Ambulance Division No. 65, St. John Ambulance Brigade at the new headquarters, 715½ View Street, Thursday night.

A framed illuminated address and traveling bag was presented Howard E. MacLean, ambulance officer and divisional secretary and Mrs. MacLean, who, with their family will leave shortly for Juneau, Alaska, where the former will be general agent for the C.P.R.

Alex M. Jarvie, division superintendent who made the presentation, spoke of the invaluable contribution the former secretary had made to the brigade. Mrs. Jarvie presented Mrs. MacLean with a corsage.

Advancement of brigade activities at every opportunity was urged by W. C. Mainwaring, O.B.E., provincial commissioner, in his address, in which he commended the gathering for the services rendered throughout the district.

Personal appreciation of the good relationships prevailing among the local brigade units was expressed by G. H. Stevens, Knight of the Order, and vice-president of the B.C. branch. Mrs. E. Harwood, lady corps superintendent, conveyed the compliments of the women's nursing division and spoke of the combined public duties performed during the year, notably in connection with blood grouping and cadet work. William Fulton, serving brother of the Order of St. John and honorary president of the division, was chairman.

Following the dinner the Home Towners' Radio party gave an entertainment program.

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250 Former Students, Teachers Reminisce At Lampson Reunion

It was an evening of reminiscing for 250 former pupils of Lampson Street School, who gathered in the school auditorium Friday night for the first reunion banquet, sponsored by the Esquimalt Parent-Teacher Association.

"Remember when?" was the theme as grey-haired men and women recalled days and activities before World War I and graduates of later years spoke of games and events of the 20's and 30's.

Perhaps the guest with most memories of the school was Miss A. B. Cooke, oldest woman teacher present, who started at the school in 1907.

"All my memories of school were pleasant, for the few unpleasant ones were drowned in a wealth of happy ones," Miss Cooke recalled. "I'm still using the work basket which was given me as a gift when I left the school in 1912."

H. W. Creelman, principal, acted as master of ceremonies and in true schoolteacher style "called the roll." He told the former students that the school in Esquimalt was the first free school in British Columbia, and was established in 1865.

OLDEST EX-PUPILS
Oldest registered male ex-pupils were Henry Kroeg, Harold Finmore, Bert Smith, Elmer Watson and Lawrence Ricketts, who came to Lampson School in 1902. Mrs. F. Ricketts was the oldest former pupil in the feminine ranks.

A two-minute silence was observed for former pupils who gave their lives in the two world wars.

"I would never have thought it possible if someone had suggested 51 years ago that I would be present at such a gathering," said L. Campbell, who came to the school in 1896 as a teacher.

Gerald H. Sedger, municipal solicitor, proposed the toast to the school and spoke of the honor that should be given high schools, Sunday schools and teachers.

Alex Hutchinson in responding to the toast told the gathering "of all those who received likings, the two who received the most are here tonight."

In more serious vein, he said he hoped the school would continue to mesh the esteem "which our attendance at this banquet shows we hold for the school."

H. L. Campbell, chief inspector of schools for B.C., who taught at the school from 1919 to 1928, spoke of the quality of principals which Lampson Street School had over the years.

"It is one of B.C.'s finest schools," Vera Mesher, acting city clerk of Esquimalt, spoke briefly of the old days at Lampson School.

Dick Reeve, in charge of ticket sales and publicity, thanked all for their co-operation in making the reunion possible. Capt. H. Sweeney, O.B.E.; Jack Dobie, G. Sr., who came to Lampson School in 1902. Mrs. F. Ricketts was the oldest former pupil in the feminine ranks.

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With proper town planning Victoria could become one of the most beautiful cities in Canada and merit its title of "garden city," Maj. Gen. Hugh A. Young, vice-president of Central Mortgage and Housing Corporation, told a gathering of 75 people at the City Hall chamber Friday evening at the first meeting of the Victoria branch of the Community Planning Association of Canada.

He stressed the need for all citizens to become actively interested in town planning as a means of eliminating unsightly billboards and "shacktowns" along the highways.

In the course of his address, Gen. Young explained why the government had sponsored the community planning organization, and said it was equally important for ordinary citizens to become members as well as expert engineers and architects.

To promote interest in town planning Ottawa is organizing publicity through magazine articles, pamphlets, radio programs, films and special speakers, he said.

Councillor E. C. Wurtelle of Esquimalt, was elected chairman of the Victoria branch, with S. P. Birley, Oak Bay, vice-president, and R. H. Smith, secretary.

Directors include Dr. Henrietta Anderson of the Greater Victoria Recreation Council; Forrest L. Shaw, Victoria Town Planning Commission; George Wilkinson, secretary of the Victoria Trades and Labor Council, and Councillor J. L. Hobbs of Saanich.

A. S. H. Musgrave, Oak Bay engineer, was chairman and J. T. Gawthrop, secretary of the B.C. division of the organization, acted as secretary-treasurer.

ESTATE OF ORIN ALLEN SLEEN, DECEASED
Notice to Creditors

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that all creditors and other persons having any claims or demands against the estate of Orin Allen Sleen, deceased, who died on or about the 2nd day of May, 1946, on the Island Highway, Cassidy, Province of British Columbia, are required to send to the undersigned, on or before the 29th day of April, 1947, their names, addresses and descriptions, and full particulars in writing of their claims and demands, verified by Statutory Declaration.

AND TAKE FURTHER NOTICE that, after the 29th day of April, 1947, the said Administrator will proceed to distribute the assets of the said estate among the persons entitled thereto, having regard only to the claims and demands of which he shall then have had notice, and that, pursuant to Section 26 of the "Trustee Act," the said Administrator will not be liable for the said assets, or any part thereof, to any person of whose claim he shall not then have had notice, and that he will proceed to make final distribution of the assets at the expiration of one year after the death of the deceased.

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Jesus Lays Down His Life

Scripture: John, Chapters 18, 19, 21:15.

By WILLIAM E. GILROY, D.D.

Palestine, the homeland of the Bible, has been strangely a land of great beauty, idyllic happiness, and sombre, terrible tragedy. Its soil, rich with the beauty of the flowers of the field, with its massive cedars, and its glimmering olive groves, has been drenched with the blood of cruel warfare and persecutions.

Goodness, wisdom, visions of peace and happiness and plenty, and ideals of righteousness and truth are forever in the heritage it has given to the world. But violence, hatred, evil, and all the fruits of evil have been all too manifest from the beginning in Cain, who slew his brother, through all the history of the Jebelites, Herods, and other perpetrators of iniquity.

All the beauty, tenderness, and goodness of that land, with all the tragedy of hate and violence, were comprised in the brief earthly life of Jesus of Nazareth. In His life and teaching were comprised all the faith and hope, the consecrated goodness, the love of God, and the service of their fellowmen that the prophets, saints and heroes of Israel had personified. And against Him became concentrated all the hatred and persecution which had made martyrs of Israel's holiest and best.

The law of vicarious sacrifice, of suffering, and of giving of life for others was written deeply into the history and religion of Israel. Among biblical scholars there has been much controversy as to how directly and in what way the 53rd Chapter of Isaiah, with its portrayal of the Suffering Servant, referred to Jesus.

But plain readers, whose common sense judgments are often sounder than those of half-splitting critics, have had little doubt about the matter. They have read that chapter seeing how Jesus fulfilled its vicarious law and its spirit, regardless of whether or not the writer had a prophetic vision of the Man of Nazareth, about to suffer centuries later, or some more immediate saint, in himself a prophet and a type of the One who was to come.

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assumed at first, as the disciples did, that His ministry might involve the setting up of an early kingdom.

But when, at the very outset of His ministry, He took to himself the prophecy of Isaiah, "The spirit of the Lord is upon me because He hath anointed me to preach the gospel to the poor," etc. He must have been fully conscious of that other prophecy concerning the Suffering Servant.

What is plain, however, is that Jesus came to foresee and to accept fully the fact of His sacrificial death. He was the Good Shepherd about to lay down His life for the sheep.

We tend to speak of the cross lightly. We wear it as a piece of jewelry or a symbol, but how much does it mean to us of the reality of sacrifice and suffering? How much are our lives given for others? We may well ask it as we sing, "It is the way the Master went; should not the servant tread it still?"

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Founder Of Peachland, H. Hardy Dead at 87

News was received here today of the death in Peachland of Harry Hardy, 87, founder of Peachland, who years ago was scoffed at when he planted the first peach tree in the Okanagan Valley, but lived to see establishment of a great orchard industry of the province.

Mr. Hardy planted his peach tree while working on a ranch of Lambley Brothers, near Peachland.

He first arrived in the Okanagan Valley in 1885 when he took a pack train into Granite Creek, near Tulameen, then the scene of a gold rush.

Mr. Hardy witnessed the driving of the last spike in the Canadian Pacific Railway at Craigellachie.

Viscount Alexander Exhibits Paintings
MONTREAL (CP)—Two oil paintings from the brush of Viscount Alexander are among the 35 pictures on display at the 64th spring exhibition of the Art Association of Montreal.

Both outdoor scenes, one is entitled "The Norfolk Brooms, England," and the other "Twin Isles, B.C."

In the former, a windmill and incidental buildings, with a stream and a craft in the background, are silhouetted against a spacious sky which threatens unpleasant weather.

The second painting is simpler in its elements, showing a stretch of water with spruce rising above the opposite rocky shore.



LATE F.O. JACK DUNN

Mrs. C. H. G. Dunn, Kenneth Street, Saanich, has received from Air Force Headquarters, the operational wings and certificate in recognition of the services rendered by her son, F.O. Jack Dunn, who was killed when his aircraft was shot down over Rouen, France, June 18, 1944.

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SOCIETY OF FRIENDS (QUAKERS), 1829 Pico St., off Fort. Sunday, 11 a.m. for worship.

SPIRITUALIST
FIRST UNITED SPIRITUALIST Church, 120 a.m. E. of P. Hill, Cornerment St. Trade address by Rev. Ethel Shewers: subject, "Prophet, Priest and King." Duane St. Jones and Mrs. Robinson. Clairvoyance at close of service. Congregational singing from 7:15 to 7:30 p.m.

OPEN DOOR SPIRITUALIST CHURCH. 714 Commercial St. Sunday, 11 a.m. Lecture, 2:30 p.m. message circle, conducted by visiting mediums 7:30 p.m. university services of modern spiritualism, address and clairvoyance by officers of the B.C. Council of the N.S.A. of C. Monday, 8:45 p.m. Rev. Ada Garrod, treasurer of the B.C. Council, will hold a clairvoyance circle at 8 p.m. Tuesday, 8:45 p.m. Reading and message circle in charge of Rev. Dr. Bolder and associates.

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Preacher: THE DEAN
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Organ Preludes, 7:10 p.m.
Mr. Thomas Jenkins, B.Mus.
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Antiphon—"Jesus Said Unto the People"—Stainer

7:30 p.m.—REV. F. W. ANDERSON, M.A., will preach
Subject—"THE CONQUERING KING"
Antiphon—"Jesus Word of God Incarnate"—Gounod
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British, Russians Negotiating Revision Of Their 1942 Treaty

By ROSS MUNRO
MOSCOW (CP)—Preliminary discussions began here today between British and Russian authorities on revision of the Anglo-Soviet treaty of 1942, it was learned officially.

Negotiations are being handled by Sir Maurice Peterson, British ambassador to Moscow, and Sir Oliver Harvey, senior member of the British delegation to the Foreign Ministers' Conference, for Britain, and Andrei Vishinsky, Soviet Deputy Foreign Minister, and a foreign office official called Golinski for Russia.

The first meeting took place March 27 and there was another Friday.

The pact, for 20 years, was signed in London May 29, 1942, by Anthony Eden, then Foreign Secretary, and Foreign Minister Molotov. It was a wartime alliance directed against Germany and for achievement of victory in the Second World War and some of its passages now are out of date due to its particular wartime application.

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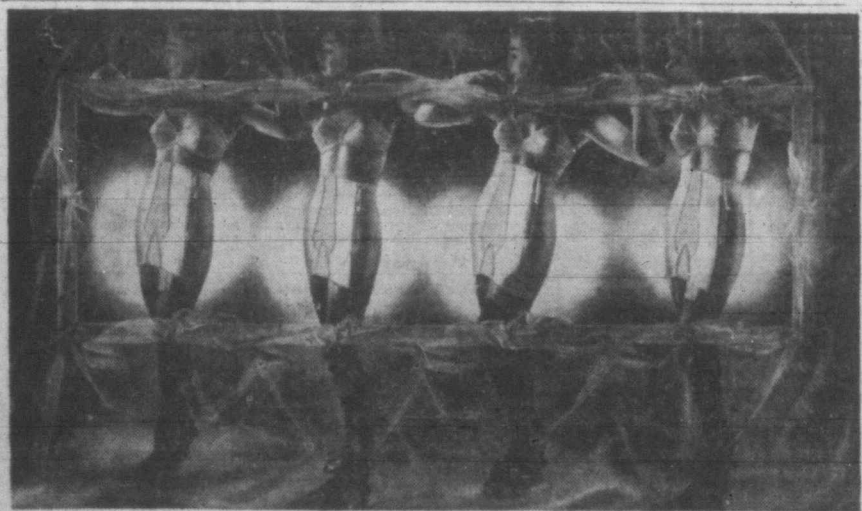


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Warns Motorists To Be Careful Of Children At Play

Chief J. A. McLellan, in his weekly public message, warns motorists to drive with particular care in residential districts where children play in the streets.

"Someone will say, 'Children should not play in the streets,' but children do play in the streets, and as long as they do, we must do our part to protect them," said the chief.

"Parents are urged to warn their children of the danger of playing in the street. Many accidents to children are the result of running into the road after balls, or pets. Explain to the child that an automobile cannot be stopped immediately—that it moves forward after the brakes have been set, and as a result the motorist cannot always avoid running into children who dash into the road unexpectedly.

"Sometimes children dart out from between parked cars and are run over because the motorist cannot see them. And sometimes children run into cars, instead of cars running into them; that is when they are racing into the road not looking where they are going. "It should be explained to the child that by running in front of a moving vehicle, he not only endangers his own life, but the life of the motorist and the passengers in the car."

Scout News

1st Parkdale Cub Pack—At the meeting of the 1st Parkdale Cub Pack Dick Smith and Lawrence Huston were invested as Cubs and presented with tenderfoot badges. Dennis Jones was awarded the collectors badge. Sixers and seconds will meet at Mrs. Kirkham's on Monday night for handcraft. On Tuesday, April 1, the Parkdale parents will hold their monthly meeting in St. Mark's Hall, Tenyson Avenue at 8.

1st. Parkdale Scout Troop—The weekly meeting was opened by Patrol Leader Victor Shemilt of the wolf patrol. Rodney Blanchard of the beaver patrol, was invested as a Scout and received his tenderfoot badge.



Catherine Gibson of 1222 Lockley Street receives one of the 50 \$1 bills given those answering quiz questions correctly. A. C. Foreman is at the microphone. J. Exton Presley, a director of the Victoria Junior Chamber of Commerce, hands Catherine a \$1 bill.

Lively Scenes In Commons As Easter Recess Approaches

OTTAWA (CP)—A confused and hectic day was behind the Commons today with a 10-day Easter recess just two sitting days away.

Amid scenes which frequently bordered on tumult, the lower House sat for four hours Friday and saw:

1. Maxime Raymond, tall, stately Bloc Populaire member for the Quebec constituency of Beauharnois—Laprairie, finally say his piece on electoral "irregularities" in the Montreal-Cartier by-election after pitching members into a sea of protests against a ruling of the Speaker.

2. Finance Minister Abbott climax response to a string of Progressive Conservative sallies on Dominion-provincial relations with the angry statement that he was "sick and tired" of hearing people talk about the "uncompromising attitude of the Dominion."

3. H. W. Herridge, People's C.C.F. Kootenay West, say he had Department of Agriculture figures to prove that a hen needed more window space than was allowed Commons' stenographers in their typing room.

4. An even 200 members absent as supplementary estimates worth \$55,000,000 for the dying fiscal year, ending Monday, went through. (But the government gave assurance that all matters dealt with could be debated on the main estimates.)

NO NEW CONFERENCE

Finance Minister Abbott told the House he could see "no purpose" in calling a new Dominion-Provincial conference until other provinces indicate their willingness to enter into new financial agreements with the federal government.

He was "sick and tired" of hearing people talk. All talk about the "uncompromising" attitude of the Dominion was merely for "political purposes," he charged. The Dominion had made "concession after concession" at the two Dominion-Provincial conferences held thus far and anybody that denied it was not facing up to the facts.

The outburst came after a word battle between Mr. Abbott, a lawyer, and two legal experts of the Progressive Conservative opposition, Donald Fleming, Toronto-Eglinton, and John Diefenbaker, Lake Centre, Sask.

The minister's remarks were prompted by Mr. Fleming's assertion that the previous conferences, called to consider taxation relationships and social security and public investments, had failed because of the "rigidity" of Mr. Abbott's predecessor, Justice Minister Lester B. Pearson, and the "inflexibility" of the Dominion's proposals.

Maxime Raymond, leader of the two-man Bloc Populaire party from Quebec, won in a stormy scene his right to discuss what he charged were "irregularities" occurring in the current

Price Controls, Higher Wages Advocated By C.C.L.

OTTAWA (CP)—In a move to back its urgings for higher wages and tightened controls on prices, the Canadian Congress of Labor today released a union-prepared report on economic conditions that described these two factors as essential to full employment and a balanced Canadian economy.

The report, prepared by research officials of C.C.L. unions and the Congress itself, said wage and salary earners had experienced cuts in their "real wages" since 1944, and faced further sharp reductions this year unless wages were raised and price increases checked.

To keep pace with the country's expanding productive capacity, it declared, consumer demand must be accelerated. The alternative was economic unbalance. But the present trend was toward reduced purchasing power, increased production and higher profits.

"With the abandonment of price control on the majority of commodities and the clear indication that the government intends to abandon the remaining ceilings shortly, real wages will fall sharply in 1947 unless further wage increases are obtained," the report said.

The survey declared that wage earners in Canadian manufacturing industries last December received 8 per cent less in "real earnings"—purchasing power in their pay envelopes—than they did two years previously. This 8 per cent could be levelled off by taking 17 per cent of profits before taxation, it stated.

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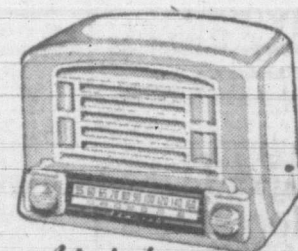
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and our great productive capacity of men and machines will be wasted." There was evidence of "growing unbalance in the Canadian economy" in 1946, and indications for 1947 pointed toward a "fall in mass purchasing power just when a substantial increase is necessary." Prices were going to rise steadily, the report said.

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DOMINION THEATRE

Strange are the ways of fame, muses Peter Lawford. Recently a leading fan magazine named Lawford, romantic lead in "My Brother Talks to Horses," now being shown on the Dominion screen, as the "discovery of the year." Oddly enough, the magazine appeared on the day that the actor celebrated his 15th year in pictures! He made his screen debut at the age of seven in England, and has been acting ever since.

ATLAS THEATRE

Now at the Atlas Theatre is "Cloak and Dagger," first production of the newly formed United States Pictures, Inc. Starring Gary Cooper, the exciting drama of romance, danger and suspense is released by Warner Bros. in celebration of the 20th anniversary of talking pictures.

Directed by Fritz Lang and produced by Milton Sperling, the film introduces Lilli Palmer, outstanding English actress.

RIO THEATRE

Alfred Hitchcock plays completely fair with audiences who view his thrilling psychoanalytical mystery film, "Spellbound," currently at the Rio Theatre. To do this he had the camera move in for a close-up of every clue to the mysteries contained in the picture. A complete resume of the clues are then presented in the dream sequence which highlights the denouement.

ROYAL THEATRE

Claudette Colbert was born in Paris, France, and came to New York at the age of three. She made her stage bow in a three-line part in "The Wild West-cott," and after a hard siege of Broadway finally clicked in "The Barker" which put her name in lights. Miss Colbert has appeared in a long string of boxoffice attractions. She makes her latest appearance on the Royal screen in the new M-G-M drama, "The Secret Heart."

CAPITOL THEATRE

The action of "Rage in Heaven," starring Ingrid Bergman and Robert Montgomery on the Capitol screen, is a return of the M-G-M triumph, was filmed in the dead of winter, but its settings were as summery as a cool breeze. When a script is written it is immediately sent to the studio florist and gardeners who arrange for the decorations of exterior sets, the proper trees, shrubs, plants, flowers and landscaping.

Protests Put End To 30-Mile Horse Race

The Victoria S.P.C.A. reports that the 30-mile horse race arranged by the Western Riding Club of Calgary has been withdrawn.

Recently the society wired the Attorney-General of Alberta asking that he take steps to have the race canceled on the grounds that a similar race run last year caused suffering and deaths to the horses and was contrary to the Criminal Code of Canada. A wire was also sent by the Victoria S.P.C.A. advising the Calgary S.P.C.A. of their full support and any help they might require in their efforts to have the race withdrawn.

A letter has been received from the Calgary S.P.C.A. advising that the race has been canceled after the Riding Club received a letter from the Attorney-General of Alberta.

"Steps will be taken to have the federal law tightened so that it will be impossible to have such cruel exhibitions in future," the Victoria society reports.

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PLAZA THEATRE

With the sun pouring down heat at an above-90 rate, director Charles T. Barton took pity on his principals and extras, and ordered the outdoor scenes of Universal's "White Tie and Tails," now at the Plaza Theatre, shot at night.

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Public To Tour Inside Of New Veterans' Hospital

The public is invited to attend the official opening ceremony of the new Veterans' Hospital on Richmond Avenue April 8, at 3, and will be given the opportunity to make an inside tour of the modern \$1,000,000 institution to look after maimed and sick veterans of two wars.

Stanley H. O'Neil, assistant district administrator, made it clear today that the ceremony was wide open to the public in reply to a deluge of telephone calls. A number of special invitations have been sent out.

R. W. Mayhew, M.P. for Victoria, will unveil the plaque, located on a corner of the front entrance and attending will be Minister of Veterans' Affairs Ian Mackenzie.

Lost Boat Found But Not 12 Men

HONOLULU (AP)—The missing lifeboat from the broken tanker Fort Dearborn was found Friday night by the steamship China Victory, but there was no sign of the 12 men who disappeared with it on the stormy night of March 12.

The China Victory, en route to San Francisco, radioed the Hawaiian Sea Frontier that Fort Dearborn Motor Lifeboat No. 3 had been found drifting bottom-up 665 miles northeast of Midway Island.

"Boat badly damaged. Propeller gone from shaft. No sign of life," the China Victory radioed.

Acting Scholarships

Scholarships in drama will again be offered by the School Drama Festival committee to an outstanding actor and actress in the coming seventh annual Greater Victoria School Drama Festival. These scholarships, to the Banff Summer School of Fine Arts, are to continue drama training and have been offered by the committee for the past six years.

Last year's festival adjudicator, Mrs. Phoebe Smith, chose as scholarship winners, Olive Dornan for her splendid portrayal of the dumb wife in the play "The Dumb Wife of Cheapside," and David Lawless, who took the leading part in "Dust of the Road."

Preferred Stocks

(By T. H. Burns & Co. Ltd.)

Symbol	Div	Askd
Aesda-All	5	108
A-C Tel. Inc.	4 1/2	106 1/2
B.C. Electric	6	103 1/2
B.C. Tel.	6	112 1/2
Calgary Power	6	106 1/2
Can. Bread	4 1/2	102 1/2
Can. Indus.	5	105 1/2
Can. Utilities	5	101 1/2
C.W. Nat. Gas	6	108 1/2
Dom. Mailing	3	105 1/2
Dominion	4 1/2	104 1/2
Empire	4 1/2	105 1/2
Ontario	5 1/2	109 1/2
G.S. Ware	7	105 1/2
Hot. Refr.	7	105 1/2
Ottawa Power	7	105 1/2
Power Corp.	6	110 1/2
Price Bros.	4 1/2	102 1/2
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Leaders Slip In Slow Market

NEW YORK (AP)—Stock market leaders generally slipped in shade or did nothing in today's session which was one of the slowest of the past six months.

Sleepy tendencies ruled from the start. Declines of fractions to a point or so predominated near the close.

McIntyre, with a gain of 1/4, stood out among Canadian issues in the final hour. Hiram Walker and Distillers Seagram each lost 1/4 while Dome Mines eased 1/4 and Canadian Pacific was unchanged.

Dow Jones closing averages:
30 Industrials ... 178.36, off 27
20 rails ... 49.15, off 09
10 utilities ... 35.99, off 06
65 stocks ... 54.01, off 10
Total sales, 290,000 shares.

(By H. A. Humber Ltd.)

Symbol	Close
Alcoa	13 1/2
American Tobacco	21
American Tel. and Tel.	40 1/2
Anacosta Copper	40 1/2
Ashtabula	10 1/2
B. and O. Railway	14 1/2
Beckman Steel	12 1/2
C.P.R.	12 1/2
C. and O. Railway	12 1/2
Columbia Gas	12 1/2
Con. Edison	12 1/2
Curtis Wright	12 1/2
Dumont	12 1/2
Eastman Kodak	12 1/2
Erie R.R.	10 1/2
General Foods	42 1/2
General Electric	42 1/2
General Motors	60 1/2
Goodrich	21 1/2
Great Northern	43 1/2
Hupp Motors	6 1/2
Int. Harvester	48 1/2
Int. Paper	48 1/2
Johns-Manville	12 1/2
Kennecott Copper	47 1/2
Leaseway	12 1/2
Montgomery Ward	50 1/2
New York Central	20 1/2
Norfolk Western	19 1/2
Northern Pacific	19 1/2
Packard Motors	6 1/2
Pan American Airways	13 1/2
Penn. Railway	21 1/2
Pepsi Cola	27 1/2
Procter Gamble	24 1/2
Pub. Serv. N.J.	40 1/2
Schenley Distillers	12 1/2
Standard Oil	12 1/2
Standard Oil N.J.	67 1/2
Steel	14 1/2
Southern Pacific	40 1/2
Southern Railway	40 1/2
Texas Corp.	80 1/2
Union Carbide	22 1/2
United Aircraft	17 1/2
United Air Lines	30 1/2
United Gas Imp.	23 1/2
United States Steel	24 1/2
Westinghouse Electric	25 1/2
Woolworth	26 1/2
Zenith Radio	21 1/2

Grain

WINNIPEG (CP)—Rye futures prices on the Winnipeg Grain Exchange today under light offerings and moderate demands. There was little outside interest in the market and trade was dull. Upturns in the Chicago grains reflected on the market here.

Prices at the close were May 3 1/2 higher 3.10b, July 2 1/4 higher 2.84 1/2 to 2.85, October 2 1/4 higher 2.33.

Small export business was reported with Belgium taking 226,000 bushels of wheat, France 40,000 bushels and the United Kingdom 100,000 bushels.

(By H. A. Humber Ltd.)

Symbol	Open	High	Low	Close
May	280	281 1/4	280 1/4	280 1/4
July	278 1/4	280 1/4	278 1/4	278 1/4
October	275 1/4	276 1/4	275 1/4	275 1/4
December	271 1/4	272 1/4	271 1/4	271 1/4
May	182 1/2	183 1/2	182 1/2	182 1/2
July	176 1/2	177 1/2	176 1/2	176 1/2
October	168 1/2	169 1/2	168 1/2	168 1/2
December	152 1/2	153 1/2	152 1/2	152 1/2
May	91	92 1/2	90 1/2	90 1/2
July	83	84 1/2	81 1/2	81 1/2
October	72 1/2	73 1/2	71 1/2	71 1/2
December	164	164 1/2	164 1/2	164 1/2

Trading was less active than yesterday and the market was a much more orderly affair.

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May	91	92 1/2	90 1/2	90 1/2
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Canadian Bonds

(By Investment Dealers' Association)			
Domination of Canada—		Bid	Asked
Dom. 3 1/2 1951		104 1/2	105 1/2
Dom. 3 1/2 1954		103 1/2	104 1/2
Dom. 3 1/2 1957		102 1/2	103 1/2
Dom. 3 1/2 1960		101 1/2	102 1/2
Dom. 3 1/2 1963		100 1/2	101 1/2
Dom. 3 1/2 1966		99 1/2	100 1/2
Dom. 3 1/2 1969		98 1/2	99 1/2
Dom. 3 1/2 1972		97 1/2	98 1/2
Dom. 3 1/2 1975		96 1/2	97 1/2
Dom. 3 1/2 1978		95 1/2	96 1/2
Dom. 3 1/2 1981		94 1/2	95 1/2
Dom. 3 1/2 1984		93 1/2	94 1/2
Dom. 3 1/2 1987		92 1/2	93 1/2
Dom. 3 1/2 1990		91 1/2	92 1/2
Dom. 3 1/2 1993		90 1/2	91 1/2
Dom. 3 1/2 1996		89 1/2	90 1/2
Dom. 3 1/2 1999		88 1/2	89 1/2
Dom. 3 1/2 2002		87 1/2	88 1/2
Dom. 3 1/2 2005		86 1/2	87 1/2
Dom. 3 1/2 2008		85 1/2	86 1/2
Dom. 3 1/2 2011		84 1/2	85 1/2
Dom. 3 1/2 2014		83 1/2	84 1/2
Dom. 3 1/2 2017		82 1/2	83 1/2
Dom. 3 1/2 2020		81 1/2	82 1/2
Dom. 3 1/2 2023		80 1/2	81 1/2
Dom. 3 1/2 2026		79 1/2	80 1/2
Dom. 3 1/2 2029		78 1/2	79 1/2
Dom. 3 1/2 2032		77 1/2	78 1/2
Dom. 3 1/2 2035		76 1/2	77 1/2
Dom. 3 1/2 2038		75 1/2	76 1/2
Dom. 3 1/2 2041		74 1/2	75 1/2
Dom. 3 1/2 2044		73 1/2	74 1/2
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TODAY and TOMORROW

Personalities in The News



Student nurses have opportunity to improve their talents in leisure hours. At the Royal Jubilee Hospital they have organized an orchestra that includes piano, trumpet, violin, accordion and two soloists. From left to right, the musicians are Misses June Phillips, Margaret Whelpton, the conductor Ruth Saunders, Joyce Robinson, a third-year student; Miss Grace Mears, a probationer, and Miss Mary Maximento, who is in her second year.



Special holidays are marked by dances at which student nurses act as hostesses. Pictured above are members of St. Joseph's School of Nursing, dressed in their party frocks for the dance given on St. Valentine's night. Left to right, they are Misses Doreen Davidson, Barbara Kellock, Doris Clark, Sabina Volk, Ellen Aitken, all first-year students, and Ruth Collyer, a laboratory technician.

NURSING . . . A Career For You!

In spite of the fact that the number of nurses has increased steadily during the last few years, Canada is facing a nursing crisis unknown so far in her history. . . . If modern methods of treatment are to be within the reach of every Canadian citizen, more qualified nurses must be prepared, for the nurse is an important factor in such a program. . . . Realizing this fact, members of the Registered Nurses' Associations across Canada have linked themselves in a mighty recruitment drive for sufficient student nurses so that every man, woman and child may benefit by the many and wonderful new methods in both preventive and curative medicine.

It is a well-known fact that nursing demands much. On the other hand we hear little of what nursing as a profession gives. . . . The pictures on this page present the giving side of the profession.

Nursing is the most womanly of the professions and that should and does make it the happiest and most worthwhile profession for women!



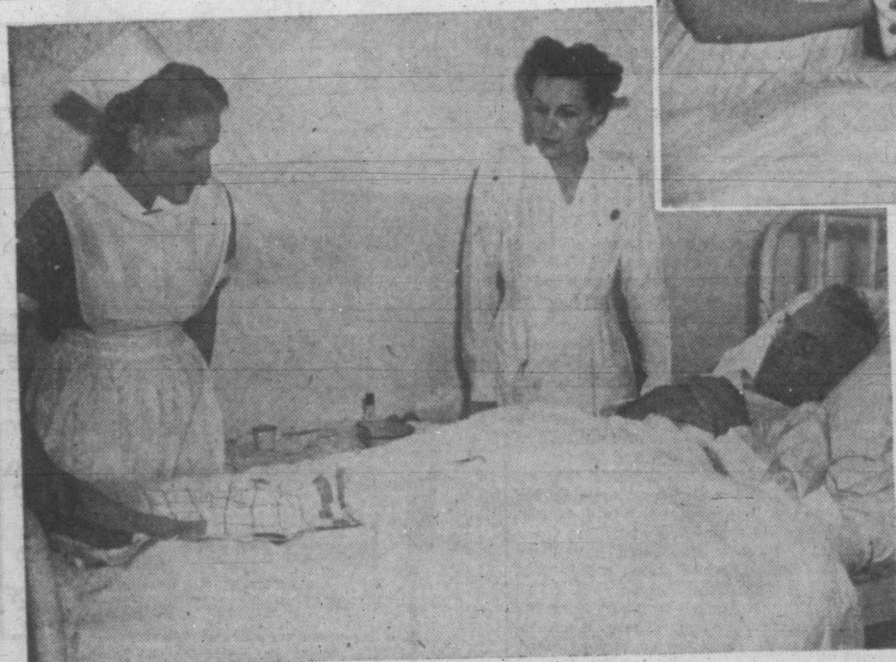
Nursing is humanitarian being as it is a response to the needs of others. In their classroom work preliminary students at the Jubilee Hospital learn how to make a patient comfortable. From left to right; Miss Edith Green, instructor of nursing arts; Misses F. Nixon, N. McKenzie, the student patient; P. Fowler and G. Bohl.



Nursing is creative for it deals with human comfort and human welfare. Miss Joan Beecher, a second-year student at St. Joseph's Hospital, learns the correct way to serve a tray. The patient was formerly a Vancouver General Hospital graduate nurse.



Nursing is dramatic for nurses are the custodians of the crises of life, from birth to death. Here Miss Alice Cockshott, a third-year student at Jubilee Hospital, hands baby to the mother, Mrs. A. Clark, while Mrs. J. McBurney, the graduate nurse, looks on.



Nursing is dynamic for no two problems are the same. Mrs. J. Smith, a supervisor at the Jubilee Hospital, watches Miss Judith Enerhaug, first-year student, doing a dressing. Mr. H. Langdale is the patient.



Nursing is scientific for it is based on the biological, physical and social sciences. Student nurses are pictured above during a classroom laboratory period at St. Joseph's Hospital. Front row, left to right, Miss Phyllis Fitzpatrick, third-year student; Misses Anne Heath and Dorothy Frenette, second-year students. Back row, Misses Patricia Taylor and Olga Stratholt, second-year students with Sister Mary Claire the instructor.

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U.S. Airlines Discover Limited Business Ceiling

Air Travel Faces Reorganization; Leaders In The Industry Concede They Expanded Too Fast After War

By S. BURTON HEATH
NEW YORK—The honeymoon is over. The boom has come to an end. This country's domestic air lines are facing their day of reckoning. They must come down to earth—or else.

That is the composite opinion of several topnotch leaders in the industry. They have no doubt that air travel has a glorious future. But even the most progressive concede that the air lines misread the signs, expanded too fast, and now must pause and reorganize.

Last year the scheduled lines carried far more passengers more miles, in more planes on more flights, than ever before. They handled more cargo, took in more money, ordered more equipment, hired more employees, spent more, and wound up swimming in a sea of red ink.

Of 20 companies, only Eastern, United, National, Continental and probably Northwestern made good to fair profits. One or two others may have avoided loss. T.W.A. probably lost more than \$8,000,000, the Capital Airline around \$2,500,000, Chicago & Southern and Western substantial amounts, and American a little.

Leaders consulted all agree, in varying words, with the explanation given by Carleton Putnam, president of Chicago & Southern: "I believe that most airline managements were intoxicated by the feverish load factors of wartime into supposing they could count on fantastic increases in postwar traffic."

W. A. Patterson, who has made United a contender for American's top position, is a middle-of-the-roader, less optimistic than C. R. Smith of American and less

scarcities and wage freezing, but incomes were held up by most full loads on all flights the year around.

"Not only the public, but many in our industry, imagined that such demand would continue and could even be expanded. The sky seemed to be the limit."

The minute wartime controls went off, the industry bought planes, hired more help, begged for new lines, added schedules.

As late as 1944 the lines had only 228 planes, mostly two-engine DC-3's. At the end of 1946 they had 732 planes, of which at least a third were four-engine DC-4's and Constellations. The most recent check showed 684 new craft on order, ranging up to 80-passenger Boeing Stratocruisers.

Last fall's wave of air crashes probably cost the air lines about 636,000 passengers who would have travelled 300,000,000 miles at 4½ cents—a total revenue loss certainly above \$12,000,000 for the last four months of 1946.

This and the railroads' aggressive campaign—"If you must get there, go by rail"—have been blamed by some for the financial situation.

But the real trouble is not loss of patronage. In November, when the drop-off looked worst, the lines carried half again as many paying passengers as in any other November in aviation history.

The trouble was—and is—that the lines provided new seats faster than customers were ready to fill them. They provided new services before there was business to support them.

They still are using airports that were inadequate in 1941. Terminal facilities are being improved, but still are disgraceful in many big cities. There are too many days when flying is washed out by weather.

WEATHER BIG CURSE

It is safer to fly now than ever before. If you flew last year, you had only one chance out of 125,000 of being killed. For every mile that you flew, according to Chairman James M. Landis of the C.A.B., you took less than half the chance of death you would have taken riding that mile in an automobile.

Many were frightened out of flying. But loss of these passengers was small compared with the losses from groundings by weather—and from a public impression that air service was not trustworthy "when you've got to get there."

There are winter months when up to 15 per cent of flights must be canceled. Some flights leave six, eight, 12 and even 24 hours late.

Except for very short trips a plane can start that late and still beat the train. But it makes for uncertainty. "This matter of unreliability," says Damon, "is our worst curse. It costs us plenty of business. We must cut it to the bone."

Safety and reliability both depend upon landing and takeoff conditions. The \$38,500,000 Air Transport Association program,



Here are two down-to-earth pictures that clouded the airlines' rosy postwar dreams— inadequate airports (above) that keep planes waiting on the ground after they're loaded; crowded, inadequate terminals (below) that discourage would-be customers.



recommended to the federal government, is aimed at enabling planes to take off and land safely, on time, under low ceilings and with limited visibility.

The airlines are spending \$650 each to equip most new planes with instrument landing system equipment. Soon they must replace that with a better set costing \$2,500 per plane. The program calls for I.L.S. equipment at 160 airports. It would provide also ground controlled approach at 40 larger fields, and F.I.D.O. (fog dispersal) at the 10 major fields.

50 FEET OFF RUNWAY

I.L.S. transmits signals that, in an automatic pilot, can bring the plane through any fog to within 50 feet of the runway for actual landing. G.C.A. enables a ground crew to talk the pilot in.

Experts agree that no single war-developed invention is a cure-all. I.L.S., G.C.A., F.I.D.O., high intensity approach and runway lights, very high frequency radio equipment, all work together.

With these installations Damon believes that inside of five years air travel can be made as dependable as travel on a well-run eastern railroad, that has weather hazards to contend with. He is not sure that flight ever will be as reliable, time-wise, as travel on a well-run western road where weather is less of a problem.

The Air Transport Association believes that in five years U.S. airlines may capture two-thirds of the railroads' Pullman business and one-third of their inter-city coach business.

United Airlines, thinks the industry will do well to get from 16 to 18 per cent of the railroads' intercity business.

Pan-American talks about an over-all business of 20 or even 25 billion passenger-miles by 1949. The Port of New York Authority mentions 17 billions. A.T.A. and United seem to agree on around 10 billions. This smallest figure would represent almost a 70 per cent increase over 1946.

To get and handle that business the domestic lines have ordered more than \$350,000,000 worth of new planes. Except for Constellations, all are of types never yet flown in scheduled service. With rare exceptions they will discard the DC-3's and DC-4's for which they already



Eighty passengers just fill the new Stratocruiser, the cabin of which is shown above. But the problem of the airlines is to find paying customers to change places with these models.

have paid millions to fill the gap between war and the future.

FARE BOOST GRANTED

If they can fill those planes, they can attain at least the lesser goals they have set—and can make money. But to fill them, they must entice passengers away from railroads and buses, and make air enthusiasts out of millions who still are doubtful.

That is why some lines held back on the 10 per cent fare boost that the C.A.B. now has granted. There were so many lines in real distress, however, that the raise was made for their benefit.

The basic air fare was 4.5 cents. The raise makes it about 5 cents. This contrasts with 2.2 cents in coaches and 3.3 cents in Pullmans on the railroads; unless the railroads get the 10 per cent increase they have asked. There has been, and still is, a hot argument between aviation and railroads as to which is cheaper. If the roads do not get a raise, they will have a stronger talking point in this debate. The railroads say that since one must sit up in a plane, comparison should be round-trip air fares against round-trip coach fares. But the airlines say it is

Must Lure Train Riders To Fill Big New Planes

one thing to sit up nine hours in a plane, coast to coast, and another to sit up 80 hours in a train.

TIME VS. FARES

The armed services accepted the airlines viewpoint in the war. They made their comparisons of air cost against Pullman and lower berth. They count the pay for time spent in traveling as traveling expense.

On the basis the A.T.A. figures that a \$60-a-week man would spend \$70.37 to ride a regular fare train from New York to Los Angeles, but only \$27.30 to make the same trip by plane. The faster the plane and the higher an executive's pay, the greater the differential.

The new planes now on order fall into three classes. At the top come the new Stratocruisers which may not appear before 1948. They are twin-deck civilian modifications of the Superfort. They will cruise around 350 miles an hour with 80 sitting passengers. Fare on them probably will be at a premium of about a cent a mile.

Behind them will come the Constellation, already in use, and the new Douglas DC-6. The Constellation cruises around 330, the DC-6 is delivering around 310 miles on training flights. These and the Stratocruiser will be for main line, long haul schedules.

For local business, with hops of a few hundred miles, the new planes are Convair's 240 and Martin's 340-3 and 2-0-2. The first two cruise at 300, the other at 280 miles. Except for the 2-0-2, all new planes will have pressurized cabins.

Some Stratocruisers and some DC-6's are to have berths, but American and United both will discourage their use for the present. The same plane can carry only half as many in berths as in seats. So the fare would have to be much higher. No line has prepared tariffs for berths. An insider figure, however, that the berth itself would have to bring \$60, coast to coast, to pay its way. Since berths would be only on extra-fare flights, it would cost almost \$100, including government tax, for the privilege of lying down eight or nine hours. Aviation executives wonder how many passengers value their rest that high.

TWO PLANES SHELVED

You have read about those two marvels of postwar aviation, the 410-mile-an-hour Republic Rainbow and Consolidated's gigantic six-engine 200-passenger CV-37. You probably won't see either for some time.

Republic has to make 35 Rainbows to break even. Now that American has canceled orders for 20, Republic has a firm order for only six and an option on 12 from Pan-American. Few believe the company can afford to make so few.

The CV-37 cannot be built until 5,000-horsepower power plants are available. These probably must be gas turbines. The biggest aviation engine now produces 3,500 horsepower. Work on turbines for air use is still in an experimental stage.

So the postwar planes in which you will fly, for the present, will be pretty conventional. They will, however, be much faster than the Douglas that have carried the burden so long.

Most of the lines intend to plan schedules below the cruising speeds mentioned above. This will give pilots opportunity to make up lost time when necessary, and enable them to bring passengers in on time, which they cannot do when the schedule demands all the speed that a plane can produce.

Conservatives Sat With Arms Folded When Spain's King Fell

By HENRY BUCKLEY

MADRID (Reuter)—Gen. Damaso Berenguer, the man who knew more than any other Spaniard about the circumstances under which the late King Alfonso fell from the throne, has broken more than 15 years' silence on the subject.

Since King Alfonso left for France April 14, 1931, Gen. Berenguer has declined to tell the story of the last year of the monarchy—during most of which time he was prime minister.

Now in a book entitled "From Dictatorship to Republic," Gen. Berenguer tells in detail the story of the last days of a monarchy which had lasted almost uninteruptedly for more than 500 years.

It is not a book of palace gossip, although Gen. Berenguer was close to the king and held important palace positions for many years. It is the blunt, dry report of a soldier.

BLAMES CONSERVATIVES

Of the last days of Alfonso as king, for example, he writes:

"The unexpected and dramatic way in which events developed in the last days of the monarchy was due to the fact that a large part of the conservative classes abstained entirely from any political activity."

"This gave greater importance than it really had to the partial republican triumph in the municipal elections."

"The moderate character of some of the republican leaders led many of these conservatives to believe that the change of regime would affect only the crown and a few palatine personalities and that in this way they, as a class, would free themselves from the wave of feeling which prevailed against the monarchy."

"The number of those who went to the king to offer him support or to encourage him to resist, was insignificant."

NO THOUGHT OF DEFEAT

Gen. Berenguer points out the surprising fact that the group of former leading politicians, including figures such as Count Romanones and Don Juan de la Cierva, father of the inventor of the autogyro, who prepared the municipal elections, never for a single moment considered even the possibility of a defeat in spite of the high feeling running in the land.

The General's opinion is obviously that King Alfonso fell

because the conservative classes of Spain sat with folded arms hoping that the storm of revolutionary feeling aroused by the Primo de Rivera dictatorship would subside if the monarchy were cast overboard.

This opinion is echoed by another author, Melchor de Almagro San Martin, who has just published a witty book entitled "The Story of Alfonso XIII and His Line."

"Unhappily for all concerned, the Spain of Alfonso XIII did not know that the problems of the day were not political but social and dangerous," he writes. "Spain instead of uniting in the face of the danger, disintegrated in an atmosphere of petty politics. The social revolution advanced rapidly in our country, favored by the inertia of the nation."

"Don Alfonso and his friends took no notice of the social unrest seething in the country," he writes. "Motor-car trips, shooting fiestas—it was just like Versailles in another era."

"Alfonso XIII was not competent to face the tremendous social and political problems gripping Spain during his reign. . . his isolation also helped to bring about his downfall. . . In the last hours of his reign he was heard to say bitterly: 'They have abandoned me: They have abandoned me!'"

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Roman Critics Praise British Art Exhibition

By JOHN TALBOT

ROME (Reuter)—British art and the British theatre is again coming into its own in postwar Italy.

Under the auspices of the British Council, an exhibition of modern English paintings from the Tate Gallery and a series of plays by the Arts Theatre Company opened simultaneously in Rome.

The theatre company gave four performances here to packed houses.

The exhibition from the Tate Gallery, consisting of 123 pictures from Philip Steer and Walter Sickert to Albert Richards and Leonard Applebee, was visited by more than 3,000 Romans in the first 10 days and the crowds grew every day afterwards.

Much space has been devoted to British art in the Rome papers and considerable admiration expressed by some critics for the originality of British painters.

Silvio Marini, writing in the Giornale Della Sera says: "The English, as opposed to the Italians, have not followed the French. They have resisted obstinately all the attacks of the figurative sensuality which would mean the dissolution of the world of art to which they are so closely tied."

"Visitors to the exhibition can certainly see traces of Impressionism and post-Impressionism and other recent influences from the banks of the Seine, but they would be making a very great mistake if in these traces they were to think that they had found the key to English paintings."

"The key to English painting lies only in the insular tradition of culture."

Other critics have not been so kind, though fully admitting the force and strength of modern British paintings.

Virgilio Guzzi, the art critic of Il Tempo, one of Rome's largest papers, writes: "In the works of these newer painters, who stand midway between pure abstractionism and surrealism, we feel the presence of refined spirits though some of them may be spirits of little fantasy."

"The English painter from the 18th century up to today is, above all, an observer of the human and individual reality under the social and psychological cloak. He is a romantic lover of the solitude of nature, shadowy and tender."

"He who remembers this exhibition will see at once spread out before him a world of portraits and landscapes."

Equally impressed have been the audiences which attend four performances given by Alec Cunes and his company from the Arts Theatre. These performances consisted of two of Hamlet, and one each of Othello and Candaia.

Critics were almost unanimous in their praise, especially for Othello. The only adverse notes came from the Socialist newspaper Avanti! and the Communist newspaper Unita.

Robert Connell's Nature Talks

Buttercups, Peacocks, Lilies Brighten Country

By ROBERT CONNELL

What an attraction the first flowers of spring have for many of us! Children of course love them for they themselves are of the spring, and it is a happy thing for their elders when they too are able to retain, and enjoy this pleasure of the young. The wall calendar marks the swift passage of time, but Nature's calendar speaks of birth and growth and maturity and sleep, and then the tale repeats itself, the tale never to be wearied of.

Walking with a friend the other afternoon near the sea we saw the first flowers of our western buttercups rising like little bowls of gold from the rosettes of leaves, every flower with 10 or a dozen petals instead of its normal five, such is the exuberance of growth.

CLUSTERS OF PEACOCKS

The dodecatheons or shooting stars or peacocks are now seen as clusters of fresh leaves, but here and there a rising flower stem exhibits a rosy head of unopened buds. Silky-haired leaves of annual lupine are stretching out their little finger-like leaflets over the bare soil. Golden sanicle shows in its heart the bright yellow cluster of flower and leaf buds. There are patches of bitter-cress, the individual plants very small but marked by tiny pure white flowers, numbers making up for size.

In the thickets the osoberry still hangs out its snowy blossoms, but now amid the greenery of its opened leaf clusters. The willow catkins are on the early species passing maturity, but the aspen poplars are displaying theirs, not so brightly pretty it is true. The snowberry bushes are greyish green with new foliage. The buds on the salmonberry are opening to display the bright green crinkled leaves and flower-buds, some of which are already opening their petals of rosy pink. The flowering currant bushes are masses of glowing red. There is one that stands in a secluded corner a mile from the sea whose flowers are a delicate pink.

It is in the thickets we get glimpses of the fawn-lily's large mottled leaves and white flowers. In such places the leaves are particularly large and the total effect of the plant at its best. This is partly due to the half-shade and partly to the rich loam of such spots.

In one place we come on purple satin-flowers, the large drooping bells with their grass-like blue-green leaves, or one might perhaps rather say, rush-like, since the various species of Sisyrinchium are often called familiarly "rush-lily." Our smaller-flowered species known as blue-eyed grass does not blossom until midsummer. There is a yellow-flowered kind, nowadays distinguished as a separate species that also blooms in summer and grows in wet places such as lake shores, boggy ground, and even in river-beds.

And this brings us to a very interesting fact and that is that flowers that bloom in early spring here within a comparatively short distance of the sea are found in full wealth of blossom weeks later further inland and at higher elevations. The

purple satin-flower, for example, in bloom here at William and Beechey Heads will be in its full glory on the lava-terraces of the Cattle Hills in mid-April and later. The same is true of the fawn lily, which there flourishes exceedingly in the stony crevices below the cliffs.

An interesting thing at this season is seen on the short-grassed shore edge. There in places the ground seems to be strewn with narrow curled leaves that in the days of myths it might have been thought some sea-maiden had shed her hair as she combed it. The curls are the leaves of a wild onion, a rather prosaic explanation, indeed, one might say, and yet what are myths but the halo of imagination thrown about the otherwise commonplace?

Radio Personalities

By FLORENCE LARINDE

The Baby Snooks Show literally went to the dogs recently, and it was all according to the script—one of the funniest of the season.

The dogs appeared in the persons of four canine imitators, who barked, growled and whined with a backyard realism that had the studio audience laughing to a point where the broadcast was almost stopped.

For his animal imitators Producer Walter Bunker picked three of the best-known dog barkers in radio, Jerry Hausner, Earl Keen and Bob Bence. The fourth, Margie Listz, is a veteran radio actress but made her barking debut on the show that night. Hausner is noted also as the air's No. 1 "cry baby." Keen is such an old hand at the business that he can start a dog fight in his neighborhood by letting out a few cries from his front porch, and Bence has filled more than 200 dog roles.

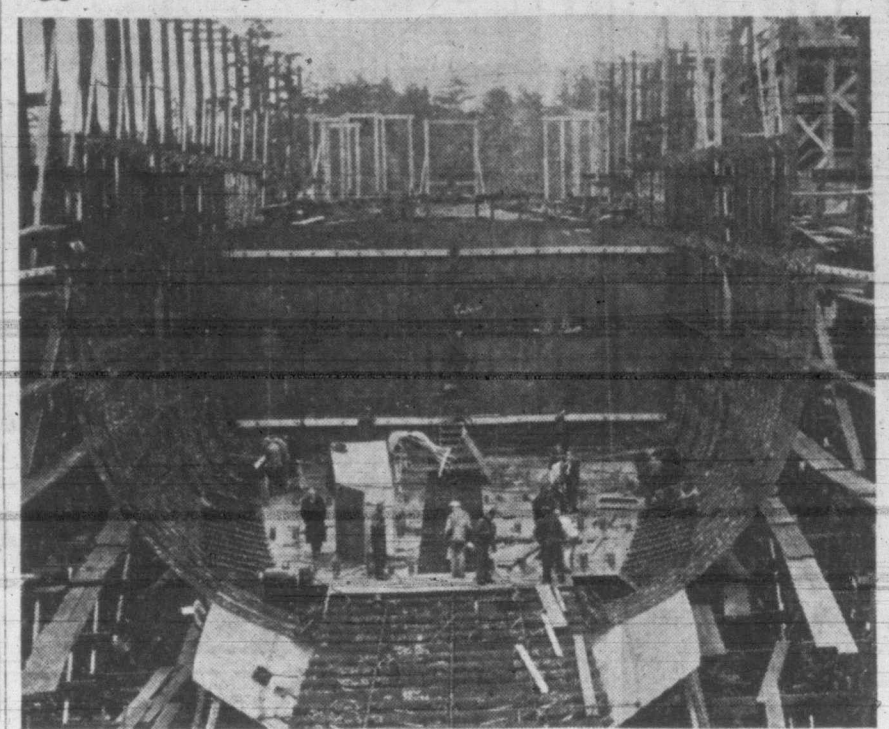
The pear-show stopping incident occurred when Bob Bence strode to the microphone for the first time, to do a fierce growl. Tall and dignified, the mustachioed Bence, fixed he eye on the control booth for his cue. The audiently apparently expected him to speak a pompous line or two. Instead, he opened his mouth, bared his teeth in a terrifying grimace and let go with a throaty snarl that would have done credit to an enraged mastiff. The unsuspecting audience broke into laughter and held it for half a minute.

Don Ameche's appearances on Radio Theatre amount to a score. Don tops all artists in number of appearances on the Monday night drama series, with an even 20. Loretta Young leads the actresses with 19 visits. Claudette Colbert and Brian Aherne have chalked up 18 apiece; George Brent and Fred MacMurray 17 each.

Rudy Vallee has completed his personal appearance engagements and now is resting at his Palm Springs home before starting on his United States and Canadian tour.

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Biggest Passenger Ship Built in Canada Takes Shape Here



Fine headway is being made at the No. 2 plant of Yarrows Ltd., Esquimalt, on the palatial Canadian National steamer, yet to be named. This picture, taken from the after end, shows the frames being set in place and a bulkhead set up. No date has been set for the launching, but the vessel will be ready for service to Alaska next summer. This is the biggest effort in passenger-ship construction on the British Columbia coast and the work is being watched with interest.

Wistful Vista for Fibber McGee and Molly have a maid, Lena. She, or rather, he, is Gene Carroll and, with a background of 12 years in vaudeville and 21 years in radio, he feels right at home with those other veteran characters, Wallace Wimpie, Dog Gamble and Mayor LaTrivia.

Carroll, who was born in Chicago, got his first stage experience in Shakespearean plays at the age of six, and began his professional career in 1914 in a vaudeville school act in which he portrayed an old maid school teacher. Twelve years of vaudeville followed, before he finally turned to radio. He was called to Hollywood this February, and Lena joined the Fibber household.

Arturo Toscanini and the NBC Symphony Orchestra won two of the 12 awards for recorded music at the first annual Record Music Awards Dinner in New York recently.

Louis Untermeyer presented the awards to Samuel Chotzinoff, manager of NBC's music division, who accepted on Toscanini's behalf.

Robert Merrill, baritone star of Victor Show, and Milton Katims, violinist and conductor, were among the other winners. Wanda Landowska, harpsichordist, the Boston Symphony and Lotte Lehmann also shared in the awards.

The recording of Haydn's Symphony No. 98 by Toscanini and the NBC Symphony tied for first place in the symphony category with Bruno Walter's performance with the New York Philharmonic of Mahler's Fourth Symphony. Toscanini was first in "orchestral music" with the overture to Weber's "Der Freischütz."

Robert Merrill and Licia Albanese took first place for opera with their recording of "Dite Alla Giovinone" from Verdi's "La Traviata." Milton Katims with the Budapest Quartette led the chamber music field with their recording of Mozart's "Quintet in C."

Roy Rogers has designed a cowboy tuxedo for use by western stars at formal affairs. The tuxedo will be made of regulation black serge with satin lapels. It will be bound with black braid, however, and both jacket and trousers will be cut in true western style. Patent leather boots, black hat and white cowboy shirt with black tie will complete the outfit.

Although Jack Haley, star of Village Store, has been a ranch owner for four years, he'll have his own home on his own ranch for the first time. Shortage of material and labor have held up work on his house until now. . . . If Alan Young has a sweet tooth you'd never know it. As a young boy the comedy star once ate five pounds of chocolates at one sitting. He hasn't cared for candy since. . . . and Hubert Updike of the Alan Young show complains he is having trouble with the horn on his new car. "Harry James won't stay under the hood," he says.

At Drug Store and Pet Shop

Dog Notes

DOG "RINGS" FIRE-ALARM

I am at a loss to explain the recent unusual actions of a dog in a suburb of Chicago. Danny, a three-year-old Doberman Pinscher, ran up to a fire alarm box on a street corner and started to bark. Passersby thought the dog had chased a cat up a nearby tree and paid little attention to the commotion. Danny continued to bark, trying in the only way he knew to attract attention.

One man who had stopped to watch the dog soon noticed a thin wisp of smoke emerging from the attic window of a nearby house. To the animal's delight the man opened the box and sent in an alarm. In a few minutes the street was crowded with fire engines and the usual throng of onlookers. In the ensuing excitement no one gave much thought to Danny, but as the firemen laid a hose to put out the smouldering fire the dog was right at their heels barking encouragement.

The fire was in the house of Danny's master who with his family had gone away for the day. Some said that they had noticed Danny sleeping quietly on the porch most of the day. How the dog discovered the fire, which started from defective wiring in the attic, is hard to explain. Perhaps his keen nose smelled the smoke. But how did Danny know that if someone pulled the fire alarm on the corner he would come and put out the blaze? It is another inexplicable example of canine ingenuity.

HOUSEBREAKING DOG

Next to the question, "What should I feed my dog?" I am asked most often, "How should one housebreak a dog?" It is a universal problem with all dog owners, and especially so when one has just acquired a new puppy.

Here is a method I have found very successful. As soon as you finish feeding a puppy, take him out of doors and let him romp around on some grassy plot. Don't play with the dog, but as soon as he does something, praise him and immediately bring him indoors. A small piece of food as a reward is often helpful. . . . After an hour or two passes you will have to watch him closely, and whenever he shows signs of being somewhat nervous, take him outside, again making sure not to play with him. Remember to bring him inside as soon as the desired results are obtained.

Besides taking a puppy out after every meal, and perhaps once or twice between meals, make certain to take him out every night just before retiring. It is best to take the dog along the same route each time you let him out.

Never scold a dog for misbehaving in the house unless you catch him in the act. Many a puppy is unable to understand why he is aroused from a sound sleep and severely punished. You understand that he is being punished for an act he committed half an hour ago, but the dog doesn't, and the punishment does no good, tending to make the animal timid. If your puppy does make a mistake, a small drop of ammonia on the spot will help to prevent further errors.

DOG FOSTER MOTHER

T-O-R-P-H-A-N PIGS

Last week this column reported the advisability of using a cat as a foster mother for young puppies. This week I received a letter from Merle Smith, a farmer of

Klamath Falls, Oregon, in which he stated he reversed the procedure, using his dog instead of a cat. Mr. Smith writes that his Shepherd dog "Curly" had a litter of two pups and at the same time two baby pigs on his farm were orphaned. The two little porkers were turned over to Curly for mothering.

She did a complete job but was quite puzzled when her adopted family developed underdog appetites for grain and other things little dogs are not supposed to eat; nor could Curly ever comprehend the language her odd-looking foster pups spoke.

INDIGESTION

Indigestion is an ailment commonly associated with human beings but dogs also are susceptible. When neglected, indigestion may cause other ailments, derangement of the bowels being the most usual concomitant. Often a dog will become excessively fat as a result and suffer from asthma and asthmatic coughing.

As in man, indigestion in the dog may be acute, chronic and passive. It is usually brought about by a diet of too rich foods, lack of exercise, irregular feeding, or over-feeding.

A dog suffering from indigestion will turn his nose up at wholesome food, or eat it mindlessly, showing a preference for filth and garbage. He has considerable thirst, and at times has spells of nausea. Foul breath and inflamed gums are other symptoms that the animal is suffering from indigestion.

The best cure is to regulate his diet. This is more important than medicine. A small amount of bicarbonate of soda after meals is often helpful. But before you start dosing your pet, my advice is to see a veterinarian and allow him to prescribe.

JUST POLITICAL, PULL

Nine-year-old Darrell Aragon of Denver, Colorado had often heard that if a friend got into trouble with the local police it might be helpful to know somebody with a little political influence or an official connected with the city government.

Darrell's dog, Buddy, fell into a nearby creek and was rescued by the police. But after rescuing the dog the officers impounded the animal because it wasn't licensed. Darrell didn't have the money to buy a license for his best friend, now in the canine jail. The boy decided he needed political help. He walked two miles to the home of Mayor Benjamin Stapleton. After asserting that he approved of the mayor's administration he asked his help.

It wasn't long before the pound-keeper received word from the mayor to release Buddy, on an understanding that Darrell would save his pennies and buy his pet a license.

THE QUESTION BOX

Question: Do dogs suffer from cancer? —L.C.T.

Answer: Dog cancer usually starts from a small tumor but it should be remembered that tumors may be cured if the dog is treated immediately. Do not make the mistake of waiting in the hope that in some miraculous way the tumor will disappear.

Question: What is the best way to train a dog—I mean all around general training? —A.M.D.

Answer: One of the first things to remember is to use firmness, above all, kindness. In training a dog more can be done by

Cecil Solly's Column

Best Lawns Planted Late In March; 'Little Often' Fertilizing Advice

In this area the very best time to plant lawn grass seed in spring is during the last two weeks of March. The exact date, as given in my 1947 Planting Dates booklet is March 28. (If you have not yet sent for your 1947 copy of my planting dates booklet, a postcard, directed to me in care of this newspaper, will bring it by return mail.)

The sowing of the seed is quite an easy procedure, but this should not be done until one is absolutely certain that the soil is in perfect condition and has been thoroughly mixed and aged to a depth of six inches or more.

Take one last look over the area for any unwanted bumps or depressions. Straighten these out with a steel-toothed rake. The day before planting, the soil should be rolled both up and down and across the area. The best weight for the roller is one hundred pounds. When rolling, the soil should be fairly dry, so that none of it sticks to the roller face.

"TICKLE THE SURFACE"

On the day the seed is planted, the first thing to do is to go over the whole area very lightly with the points of a rake, to no more than "tickle" the surface. The seed should then be very carefully and evenly scattered. The correct quantity for a minimum seeding should be at the rate of one pound to each one hundred fifty square feet or one ounce to each square yard. Many gardeners prefer (wisely) to plant slightly heavier than this, to get a heavy stand at first. They use one pound to each one hundred square feet.

A small quantity of a good hormone powder, dusted on the seed before planting, provides in the promotion of an even and rapid germination of the seed. The very small cost of the required amount of Rootone, applied to the seed before planting, is, indeed, a definite "insurance" in the future turf because it induces a far heavier and more rapid root growth. The seed should be scattered by hand, both lengthwise and across the area, to be sure that it is evenly distributed and no spots are accidentally missed. If possible, choose a time when there is no wind blowing.

RAKE LIGHTLY

Many gardeners prefer to lightly rake the surface to cover the seed. If this is done, the seed must be covered—but only just covered. To make sure there is no seed left on top, it is advised that a very small quantity of good soil be scattered over the surface. Some gardeners prefer to have all the seed at the same (very shallow) depth. They do not rake the seed in at all, but just scatter the smallest amount of soil over it to just cover.

The ground should then be rolled with the same one hundred pounds of roller, taking care to turn the roller off the grass area. The whole area must then be kept continuously moist for at least two weeks and until the grass is "up." It is important, since the germinating grass seed is near the surface, that the top half inch of soil never gets dry, although on dry, sunny days this might mean sprinkling several times. If Dame Nature supplies cloudy or rainy days during the two weeks directly after seeding, the grass is sure to start well.

If the weather after seeding is very hot and dry, pieces of cheap cheesecloth may be used, propped upon six-inch sticks, to provide some shade; or if "ferns" are available, cut them with long stems and press them upright into the ground at intervals close enough to make as much shade as possible.

CARE AFTER PLANTING

Grass, under ideal conditions, generally takes about 14 days to "show through" the ground. As mentioned previously, it is absolutely necessary to keep it constantly wet at first so as to have it come up evenly and

PAPER BAROMETER

To make a paper barometer mix one part of cobalt chloride 10 parts of gelatine and 100 parts of water. Immerse a piece of paper or light muslin in this solution and allow to dry. The normal color is pink which changes to violet in medium weather and blue in very dry weather.

DOUGH STICKING TO SPOON

To prevent dough sticking to the spoon when making dumplings dip the spoon into hot liquid each time before putting it into the dough.

kindness than by punishment. Patience is another virtue that must be exercised.

quickly. If some spots come through while others are bare at first, the fault will be either with uneven soil preparation or uneven seeding. However, after about three weeks all the little grass plants will be up and should make a rapid growth.

The grass should be carefully mowed as soon as it is about one and one-half inches high. The mower should be sharp and clip the tips of the grass leaves, leaving a grass catcher to remove the clippings. Should the mower "pull" at all, it should be adjusted and, if necessary, sharpened. Any pull on the grass by an imperfect mower will dislodge the little grass plant's roots. This harsh treatment is not likely to kill them, but the disrupted roots will have an unnecessarily tough time to recover.

CUT OFTEN

The first clipping, and all subsequent ones will force the roots to work hard to establish themselves deeply and quickly, so cut often. After the grass has been clipped the first time it will move into rapid leaf growth again immediately. The second clipping should be done in less than two weeks after the first. The next step, which comes right after the second mowing is to give the grass plants an assist by fertilizing the whole area with your favorite brand of organic plant food at the rate of only one pound to each fifty square feet. Be sure to get this quite evenly distributed. One of the best ways to get it even is to use a fertilizer distributor that is essentially used to get an even coverage of the area without

waste. However, since this little spreader makes the work clean and easy, one is liable to apply too much plant food at one time. Take care to set the hopper so that the smallest quantity comes out. It is better to go over the area twice—up and down and across—and get a very even coverage than to try to do so at one operation. One good way to be sure that too much plant food is not used at any one "dose" is to mix it with sand.

A good grass turf is generally cut about twenty times a year. Consider what happens by this treatment. When a lawn is planted, we start several hundred little seedlings to grow in every square foot of soil. In the wild state only two or three plants would take up this space and they are quite capable of exhausting the plant food in that area, quite rapidly.

FERTILIZING OFTEN

In a lawn we crowd many plants in a small area, to produce a fine thick compact turf. To make it continually attractive we water and fertilize it to make it grow fast and thick. As soon as it does, we mow it, cutting off all the tops of the grass leaves. As soon as it is cut, we water and feed it again to cause the plants to respond and move once more into active growth. This consistent harsh treatment causes the grass to use up all available plant foods rapidly.

It will be realized that the lawn can only be maintained in perfect shape by replacement of the plant foods used. Therefore, the fertilizing plan can be given in three important words—little and often.

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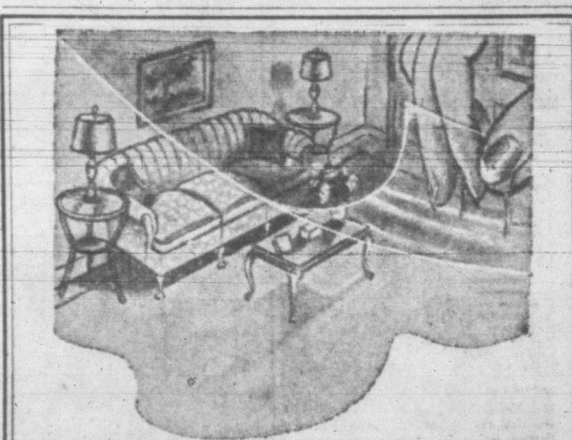
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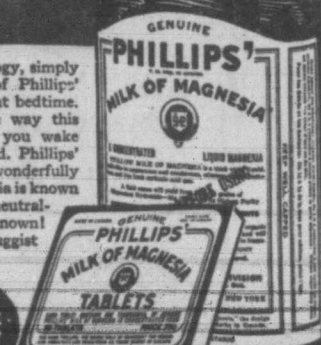


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